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NEWS SUMMARY

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Indications point to the imminence of a forward movement of the Japanese armies against the Russians at Tie pass, Sin-Min-Tin and Mukden. Gen. Kuropatkin is fortifying Fakoman, northeast of Mukden, in order that he may be prepared for the contingency of the evacuation of Sin-Min-Tin.—Page 1.

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The National baseball commission met and passed on many players' cases.—Page 9.

FINANCIAL.

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THE WEATHER

Fair.

Fair weather today and showers and cooler for tomorrow, is the forecast of the Washington observer for Pittsburgh and vicinity. The maximum temperature yesterday was 76 and the minimum 58 degrees. The sun rose cloudy at 6:13 and set cloudy at 6:09 yesterday. The daily report, furnished by the local weather office, follows:

Time.	Baro.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m....	29.94	60	86	N.E.	Cloudy.
8 p. m....	29.98	68	59	N.	Clear.

Comparative temperature and precipitation for September 27:

	1904	1903		1904	1903
Maximum ..	76	71	Mean	67	62
Minimum ..	58	53	Precipitation ..	..	.17

Nor. temp. 31 yrs.. 63 | Nor. precip. 31 yrs. .08
Excess for day.... 4 | Dfcy. since Sept. 1. .06
Exc. since Sept. 1. 17 | Exc. since Jan. 1.. .28
Dfcy. since Jan. 1.537 |

Official Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27.—Forecast: Western Pennsylvania and Ohio—Fair Wednesday; Thursday showers, cooler in south portion; light to fresh east winds.

West Virginia—Fair Wednesday; Thursday showers, cooler in west portion.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.:

Buffalo	56	Clear	Washington ..	68	Clear
St. Louis...	82	Clear	Nashville	80	Clear
El Paso....	82	Cloudy	Louisville ..	80	Clear
Omaha	80	Cloudy	New Orleans.	80	Clear
Cairo	82	PtCldy	Atlanta	74	PtCldy
Denver	74	PtCldy	Philadelphia	68	Cloudy
Salt Lake..	70	Rain	New York ..	66	Clear
St. Paul...	68	PtCldy	Vicksburg ..	84	PtCldy
Duluth	70	Cloudy	Kansas City.	86	Clear
Huron	76	Cloudy	Cincinnati ..	78	Clear
Chicago ...	90	Cloudy	Indianapolis .	76	Clear

INCLINE CARS MAKE MAD DASH

Ten Persons Hurt in Accident at South Twenty-Second Street.

JUMPED FROM CAR

Hoisting Cable Torn Loose from Cage Just as It Reached Top of the Ascent.

SAFETY LINE FINALLY WORKED

The hoisting cable on one of the cars of the St. Clair incline, better known as the South Twenty-second street incline, was torn loose just as the car reached the top. One car shot bottomward, while the other shot upward at a frightful rate. Passengers in the falling car, gathering themselves up from the heap on the floor into which they had been thrown by the sudden jerk, scrambled madly over the gates and jumped. A number received more or less serious hurts. The scene was witnessed by a large crowd at the top of the incline and their screams were added to the screams of the others. The accident happened about 5:30 last evening when traffic was heavy.

LIST OF INJURED:

MRS. CHRIS KOHLER, Salisbury and Sterling streets; knee hurt and face and body cut and bruised.
HERMAN WIDENORF, Salisbury street, leg and back sprained and scratched.
GEORGE RUSSELL, Schuler street; wrist sprained.
ANDREW SPARCH, Lower St. Clair township; arm hurt and body bruised.
——— SPARCH, 14-year-old son of Andrew Sparch; bruised and scratched.
GEORGE LANDSIR, 2419 Wrights alley; wrist sprained.
JOHN THOMA, Lower St. Clair township; face cut and body bruised.
GEORGE TWAIL, Lower St. Clair township; face and body cut.
JOSEPH M'CLURE, Eckels street; face cut.
POLICEMAN JAMES RYAN, bruised about the body and back sprained.

People Hurt by Jumping.

All of these people received their injuries by jumping from the car except Landsir, who was thrown from his wagon which was being lowered on the incline.

The elevators continued their mad race up and down for a distance of 250 yards. Then the weights became equalized again and the safety cable did its work. If the passengers had not jumped few of them would have been hurt. The fear of death in the apparently inevitable crash at the bottom, however, was too great.

The St. Clair incline is peculiarly built, the grade at the top being 14 per cent, and 29 per cent on the lower part. When the hoisting cable was torn loose from its fastenings when one of the cars was near the top and its weight was thrown on the safety cable, the difference in degree of grade was such as to send the up car downward. The car at the bottom was shot upward by the safety cable, and the two finally stopped only about 200 feet apart.

The passengers were preparing to alight from both the downward and the upward-bound cars when the accident occurred. A bump against the framework of the station at the top was the first warning that anything had gone wrong. The loop of the cable seemed to be torn loose by the engine continuing its work after the car had reached its destination.

Others Could Not Jump.

Jumping was possible on the car which was going downward, but the passengers on the upward-bound car had no alternative. They were compelled to stay, as they could not jump ahead of the car and be run over. On that trip there was also a horse and wagon belonging to George Lantz of South Twenty-second street. The animal was thrown down and cut, but not seriously.

After the cars stopped the people who had jumped from the down car were all gathered up, taken to the top and sent to their homes.

It was stated last evening that the power on the engine which operates the incline was not turned off at the right time. This kept the hoisting cable still pulling away at the car after it had bumped into the station and could go no farther. The safety cable, which finally stopped the cars, is not connected with the motive power, but is connected with both cars by a pulley and a drum at the top. There is a brake on this drum, but it does not seem to have been used. J. Simmons is the engineer at the incline power plant.

To Investigate Accident Today.

After the accident the hoisting cable was dragged down the hill again and attached to the car, the incline resuming operations at 10:30 o'clock, five hours after the accident occurred.

Supt. James W. Hughes stated last night that no damage had been done the incline, but that he had not as yet determined the cause of the accident. The machinery, he said, was in perfect order and there had been no derangement of it. He pointed out that the safety cable had performed the function for which it is designed. Today he expects to investigate the matter and fix the responsibility.

The incline has been operating since 1888, and, although it carries about 2,000 persons a day, this is its first serious accident.

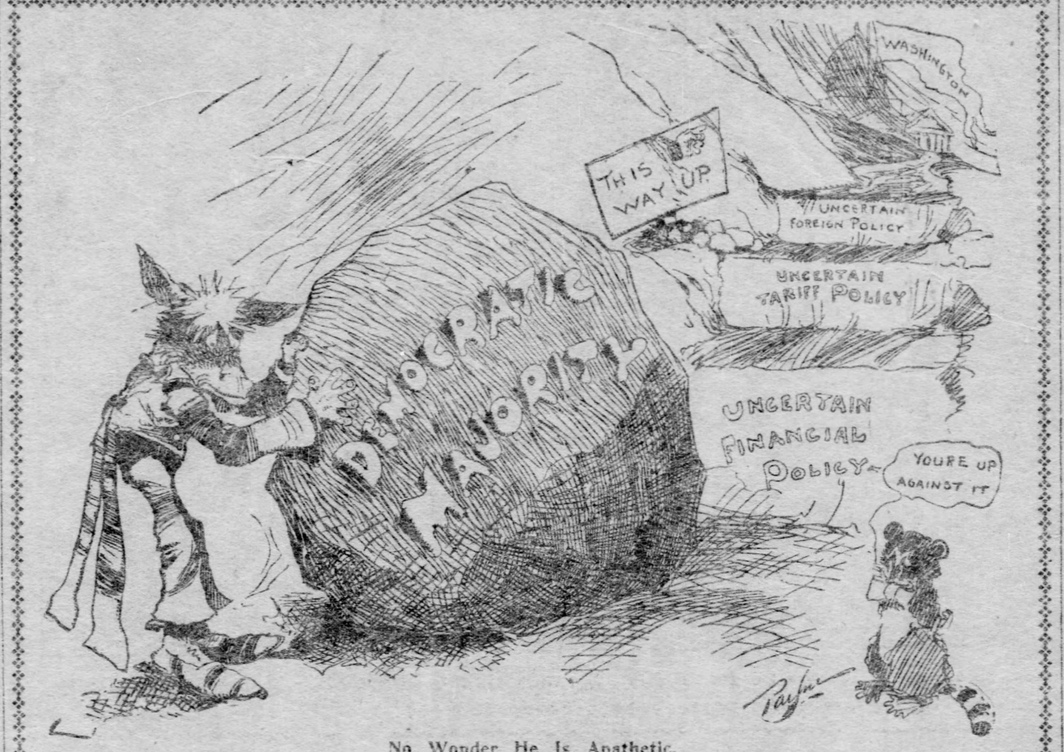
It was stated last night that Police Officer Ryan showed much coolness during the accident. He was the last off the car and succeeded in preventing Mrs. Kohler from making the leap at a point where it is probable she would have been hurt more seriously.

CONFERS ON CONTRACT.

It Is Thought Charles M. Schwab Is Preparing to Furnish Japanese With Armor Plate.

NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—(Special.)—Charles M. Schwab, now on the Pacific coast, is said to have held several important conferences with Japanese agents, presumably to discuss contracts for armor plate.

The big new ordinance plant of the Bethlehem Steel Company will be ready to turn out big guns in quantities as soon as reorganization becomes effective.



No Wonder He Is Apathetic.

EXPECT INCREASE IN STEEL EXPORTS

Big Falling Off for August Is Said by Steel Men to Be Only Temporary.

NEW CONTRACTS SECURED

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU, Herald Building, Herald Square. NEW YORK, Sept. 27.

Leading steel authorities say the big decrease in steel exports during August is only temporary and that October will show a good revival. The greatest decrease was in steel rails, the August exports falling below 7,500 tons, while the July totals were 40,300 and for the seven months ending July 174,942 tons.

September and October exports of steel rails will be very large, however, as about 70,000 tons will go to Canada alone. The total August exports of iron and steel items enumerated will fall below 45,000 tons, compared with approximate exports of 75,000 tons in July.

In July 35,804 tons of steel billets, ingots and blooms were exported, as against 15,200 tons in August. Ore and pig iron exports also dropped off heavily. Including July, the United States exported since January 1 48,392 tons of ore, 40,313 tons being sent in July alone. August pig iron exports show decided weakness, the delay in exporting cotton in quantity doing away with pig iron shipments as ballast.

Since the close of August export schedules the United States Steel Corporation and other large producers have received important foreign contracts. For the fourth quarter exports ought to show better returns than for any other quarter this year.

PITTSBURGH BUILDERS ENTERTAINED IN CLEVELAND

Visitors Put in a Busy Day Studying Methods and the Famous "Group Plan."

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CLEVELAND, O., Sept. 27.—Prominent builders of Pittsburgh came to Cleveland today. They announced beforehand they were to come on business, and did not want any entertainment, but the Cleveland builders could not restrain their hospitable instincts, and a pretty full day of entertainment was given the visitors. The Cleveland Builders' exchange and its methods of operation, were studied and the famous "group plan" was explained and illustrated for the enlightenment of the Smoky city men.

The visitors arrived in the city on an early train and were driven to the Hollenden for breakfast. From 9 till 11 they did whatever their tastes dictated, and at the latter hour assembled in the rooms of the local exchange, met many of the Cleveland members and took lunch with the board of directors.

This afternoon the Pittsburghers were given a drive about the city, and this evening they are attending a meeting of the Cleveland exchange. The "group plan" is being explained and various local matters dwelt upon for the education of the men from Pennsylvania. The party will leave for home on a train at midnight.

OLD MOUNT VESUVIUS IS QUIETING DOWN

NAPLES, Sept. 27.—The eruption of Mount Vesuvius has greatly diminished. The stones ejected from the crater do not now rise beyond a height of 150 feet. The authorities have relaxed the restrictions placed upon the public when the eruption was at its worst, and people are permitted to ascend the mountain. The funicular railway, however, was so badly damaged that tourists and sightseers make the ascent in sedan chairs.

SENATOR HOAR IS VERY NEAR THE END

WORCESTER, MASS., Sept. 27.—At 7 o'clock tonight Dr. Warren R. Gilman, Senator Hoar's physician, expressed the belief that the senator would live through the night. He is unable to swallow, is unconscious and his vitality is almost gone.

ROW OVER SCHOOL LAWS LED TO A MURDER

MOUNT AYR, IA., Sept. 27.—Samuel Egly is dead and William Kling, his self-confessed slayer, is in jail today, as the result of a quarrel over the school laws. Both are directors and had met on school business when the difficulty arose.

DIVERS SAVE BIG NEW BATTLESHIP'S HULL

Discover Obstruction Placed on Ways to Ruin Connecticut at Her Launching.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—With the evident intention of ruining the hull of the battleship Connecticut, which will be launched at the New York navy yard Thursday, some person or persons maliciously placed an obstruction on the ways.

It was not discovered until divers were sent down to make an investigation. On any dark night a small boat could have been brought close enough to the stern of the battleship to have placed the obstruction on the ways. As is usual before a large ship is launched, divers were sent down to see that the ways were clear. They went down for the first time Saturday, and since the obstruction was found they have been making the most careful examination, and were working this afternoon. They will be sent down for the last time Thursday morning.

CZAR GREETS MIRSKY.

Russia's Ruler Receives New Minister of the Interior in Private Audience.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 27.—Emperor Nicholas yesterday received in private audience Prince Sviatopolk-Mirsky, successor of Von Plehve as minister of the interior, who is looked upon as the man who may inaugurate reforms which will make the life of the poorer classes of the Russian Jews endurable.

PRINCE MIRSKY.
Russia's New Minister of the Interior, Succeeding Von Plehve.

The prince will enter upon his new duties immediately. The department of police, which has hitherto been under the control of the interior ministry, has been rendered independent.

VANDERGRIFT'S YACHT GOES SOUTH FOR THE WINTER

She Is Accompanied by the Winona and M. J. Lawrence's Yacht Vesta.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WATERTOWN, N. Y., Sept. 27.—S. H. Vandergrift of Pittsburgh is causing his fast steam yacht Cherokee to be taken from the St. Lawrence, where he enjoys the summer cruising, to the south, where he expects to spend the winter among the Bahamas.

With the Cherokee is the Winona, another yacht owned by Gen. J. A. Johnson of Washington. The boilers of this boat are out of repair and she has to be towed by the Cherokee. The Cherokee was unable to go through the canal as she was, and her spars and smokestacks had to be removed at a considerable expense.

With these two yachts is the Vesta, which Mr. Vandergrift sold to M. J. Lawrence for $10,000. These are said to be the three finest yachts that ever went through the Erie canal together. These yachts have been taken through the canal many times going to and from the St. Lawrence.

PURE FOOD MEN CONFER WITH MANUFACTURERS

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 27.—Before the pure food congress today interstate laws were discussed by Rufus L. Weaver of New York city. A conference was held with manufacturers on the use of antiseptics in the preservation of food. Among those who joined in the conference were Sebastian Mueller of Pittsburgh.

FROM LADY'S MAID TO A COUNTESS

Former Butcher's Daughter Accused of Stealing Royal Mistress' Jewels.

ABDUCTED BY THE ARABS

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

BERLIN, Sept. 28.—A former companion of the deceased Princess Amelia of Schleswig-Holstein, aunt of Empress Augusta Victoria, whose deportation to Cairo, supposedly at the instance of Duke Ernest Gunther, in 1901, created considerable talk, was put on trial here yesterday, charged with the theft of money and jewels from the princess.

The accused, Anna Milewsky, was the daughter of a village butcher. She became a maid to Princess Amelia in 1898, won her confidence and was made her traveling companion under the name of Countess Michaelovski, visiting all the countries of Europe. Duke Ernest Gunther, who desired to separate her from the aged princess, followed them to Egypt, where two Arabs abducted the countess and kept her prisoner, in spite of her appeal to the German consul. She was then taken to Port Said, on the order of a certain von Blumenthal, and later she was deported to Germany. Her suit against Duke Ernest Gunther, began in 1901, for civil damages has not yet been tried.

The court, after hearing several witnesses, adjourned the criminal hearing to take the duke's testimony. The accused claimed that Princess Amelia gave her the jewelry in question. Witnesses confirmed Countess Michaelovski's claim that she had $20,000 before she was employed by the princess, that she loaned the latter money, and that she received a portion of the jewelry as gifts instead of wages.

WROTE TOO MANY LETTERS TO THE WHITE HOUSE

Crank Under Arrest Also Wanted the Gold Standard Changed to Diamonds.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

DES MOINES, IA., Sept. 27.—Charged with writing and sending letters to President Roosevelt, Miss Roosevelt and Helen Gould, Edward Delheimer has been arrested by the United States authorities and lodged in jail at Ft. Dodge.

The letter alleged to have been written by Dalheimer to the president threatens his life unless certain reforms are made. The one to Miss Gould proposes marriage. The letter to Miss Roosevelt is not made public. It is alleged that the prisoner wrote to J. J. Hill, asking him to intercede at Washington to have the gold standard changed to diamonds as a medium of exchange.

LOCAL FIRM'S BID TAKEN.

Keeling & Ridge Awarded Contract to Complete Water Works Reservoirs at Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, O., Sept. 27.—(Special.)—The board of water works commissioners this afternoon awarded the contract for completing the new water works reservoirs to Keeling & Ridge of Pittsburgh, at their bid of $719,000. This was $3,500 less than the engineers' estimate. All other bidders were several thousand dollars above this figure.

The asphalt lining contracts, which the board was enjoined from letting, were not included in the bid.

BATES PRESENTED CLAIM FOR TRAINING STATION

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27.—The board appointed to select a site for a naval training station on the Great Lakes resumed its hearing at the navy department today. Representative Bates of Meadville, Pa., gave his views and Senator Knox of Pennsylvania, who telegraphed his inability to attend today, will speak later on.

WILL MAKE IT FINEST PLANT IN THE WORLD

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 27.—Various rumors regarding the future of the Union iron works were today set at rest by C. M. Schwab, who said that the plant would be enlarged and made the finest in the United States, if not in the world. Mr. Schwab and his party will leave for the east tomorrow over the Canadian Pacific.

BIG DEADLOCK NOW AT AN END

Thirty-Third Senatorial District Saved to Republicans by Compromise.

PENROSE IS HAPPY

Welch Withdraws from Contest at the Last Minute in the Party's Interests.

CHAIRMAN MAKES STATEMENT

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU, Press Building, PHILADELPHIA, PA., Sept. 27.

With the settlement today of the senatorial deadlock in the Thirty-third senatorial district, Chairman Penrose has disposed of all obstacles to harmonious party action in November. The matter was adjusted by the voluntary withdrawal of A. S. Welch, the Huntingdon candidate, thus insuring the unanimous nomination of Alexander Stewart, the senator who now represents the Franklin-Huntingdon district.

The contest has lasted over four months, nearly 100 fruitless ballots being taken. This is the last day for filing certificates of nomination with the secretary of the commonwealth, and for this reason an agreement had to be reached or there would have been a triangular fight which probably would have been won by the Democratic candidate. Senator Stewart having refused to arbitrate under the provisions of Rule 7 of the state committee, as was done yesterday in the Twenty-third senatorial district deadlock, no settlement was possible except in the event of Mr. Welch's withdrawal.

This he consented to do in the interest of party success and for the further reason that an iron-clad agreement was made which gives the next two terms to Huntingdon county, thus abolishing the rotation system.

Chairman Penrose's Thanks.

Chairman Penrose was very much pleased with the result. He dictated the following:

"Mr. Welch's magnanimity and disinterestedness will be complimented by Republicans generally throughout the state and is appreciated by the state committee. Huntingdon county had a good claim for the nomination and Mr. Welch's retirement was made in the interest of the party. The special interests of Huntingdon county, however, have been conserved by an arrangement between the candidates themselves, their respective conferees, the two county chairmen in the district and the chairman of the Republican state committee. Under this agreement Huntingdon county will have the next two senatorial terms, following the expiration of Senator Stewart's term in 1908.

"In the end this adjustment may be better for the district, as it establishes a two-term division of senatorial honors instead of the rotation system, the abolishment of which has heretofore been impossible. With the settlement of the deadlocks in the Twenty-third and Thirty-third districts every element of contention in the state has been removed."

Mr. Welch's Statement.

Senator Stewart and Mr. Welch had a very friendly talk before the latter left for his home this evening. Mr. Welch told the senator he hoped he, himself, and his friends in Franklin county would be as loyal in their support of the Republican senatorial candidate four years hence as the Huntingdon Republicans will be this time. Senator Stewart replied that Franklin county could be depended upon to keep the terms of agreement entered into today.

In his letter of withdrawal to the conferees of the Thirty-third district Mr. Welch said:

"Over four months having elapsed since you first went into session for the purpose of making a nomination for state senator, with eleven fruitless sessions of the conference and the taking of nearly 100 fruitless ballots, and this being the last day for filing certificates of nomination with the secretary of the commonwealth, as prescribed by act of assembly, it must be apparent to you that in the very nature of things something drastic must be done within the next few hours if this district is to be saved to the Republican party.

"By the rule of alternating the senatorial nominations between the Republican candidates of the two counties, a rule that has governed for 30 years with but a single exception, Huntingdon county should have the nomination this year, and toward the maintenance of that right the Huntingdon county conferees and your subscriber have devoted themselves assiduously, but without avail.

For the Party's Sake.

"The Franklin county candidate, however, remains firm and unyielding, and advises my conferees and myself that he will not retire from the contest under any consideration; and were I to remain in the field, with a triangular contest to ensue, the consequences would undoubtedly be fatal to both of us. To avert such an unfortunate result and in order to save the district to the Republican party, I hereby withdraw from the contest. In so doing I yield for the present an ambition I have long since nurtured of serving the people of the Thirty-third district in the state senate rather than witness the election of a Democrat from this strong Republican district."

In making this statement Mr. Welch desired to impress upon his friends and supporters in Huntingdon county the fact that his action had been actuated by no selfish motives and purely in the interest of the party as a whole. Some one had to be sacrificed. As Senator Stewart declined to be the "some one," Mr. Welch accepted the duty imposed.

CHESTER D. POTTER.

Girl Novice Shoots Patron.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 27.—Mamie Kohler, a green girl attendant in a shooting gallery here, discharged a gun in handing it to Elmer Eler of Bethel, O., and killed him.

MUST FIGHT OR RETREAT

Oyama's Army Is Drawing in Its Wings Around Kuropatkin.

REAR IS THREATENED

Russian Commander Must Act Quickly If He Would Withdraw to Tie Pass.

CAUCASUS ARMY ON MOVE

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

SIN-MIN-TIN, Sept. 28.—Despite all the efforts of Gen. Kuropatkin, the movement of the two Japanese columns, which are seeking to flank his position at Mukden, has not been checked. The extreme points of the Japanese front are fully 60 miles apart, but these have begun to close in. It is up to the Russian commander to decide the same question which faced him at Liao-Yang: that is, to hold Mukden, with the desperate certainty that his retreat will be cut off, or to fall back on Tieling before the converging Japanese columns make this impossible.

The Japanese center is slowly but surely pushing its way to the Hun river. There seems to be no cessation in the stream of reinforcements which is reaching Oyama, both from Niuchwang and Dalny. The new troops are being hurried to the flanking columns, the veterans of Liao-Yang being reserved as far as possible for the center and on reserve.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 28.—The announcement that the Russians are fortifying Fakoman, 25 miles northeast of Mukden, shows that Gen. Kuropatkin is preparing to check the flanking movement on Tie pass from the west. In case Sin-Min-Tun should have to be evacuated.

Field Marshal Oyama has begun to move up his left. Gen. Kuropatkin's report today shows that the Japanese have reached Davan, on the west bank of the Liao river. A considerable concentration of Japanese is observed at Si-An-Chan, on the Hun river, 35 miles southwest of Mukden, and Japanese cavalry is massing in the valley of the Pu river. The latter is a tributary of the Hun river, which crosses the line of railway midway between Tie pass and Mukden.

Thus far the Russians have found little strength or pressure from the Japanese center. Oyama seems to be moving with great deliberation, probably gathering strength for a rapid advance of both wings, when an attempt is made to close the net. It is evident that the fate of Mukden cannot long be delayed. If Gen. Kuropatkin intends to try to hold the city, fighting on his flanks will begin almost immediately.

The general staff has received the following dispatch from Gen. Sakharoff:

"The enemy's vanguard, consisting of one battalion and two squadrons of cavalry, has assumed the offensive, probably for a reconnaissance, in the district between the Mandarin road and the heights of the village of Toumytsa. His advance was stopped by our troops. The enemy retreated along the whole line, pursued by our cavalry."

A telegram received here from Batoum, reporting that reservists are being transported along the Caucasian coast, brings the first intimation that troops there are being mobilized. There are only two army corps in the Caucasus and one of these has apparently been ordered to the far east.

MUKDEN, Sept. 26.—(By way of Pekin, Sept. 27.)—The Russian cavalry west of the railroad report an important Japanese movement and a threatened attack. Four divisions of Japanese remain at Bentsinpudze, three divisions are supposed to be near the Yen-Tai mines and two others west of them. Gen. Mistchenko reports that he penetrated to the Yen-Tai mines, and found only small detachments of Japanese there.

HOTEL MEN TO FIGHT FOR MORE LIBERAL LAW

The State Association to Ask for Repeal of the Existing Liquor Legislation.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

HARRISBURG, Sept. 27.—Efforts to secure more liberal liquor laws and a repeal of the "Blue Laws" will be made at the next legislature by the Pennsylvania State Hotel Men's association, which is holding its annual convention in Harrisburg.

The convention organized today by the election of E. E. Bonneville of the Hotel Henry, Pittsburgh, president, and will continue in session tomorrow, when the remainder of the officers will be elected. The association will advocate a change in the Brooks high license act, fixing a uniform time all over the state for the closing of saloons at night and allowing hotels to keep open their bars all night.

Efforts will also be made to amend the law so that hotels may be allowed to provide music and free lunch for their guests and to punish minors who obtain liquor by misrepresentation of their age.

LADY CURZON WORSE.

Close of the Day Finds Her Exhausted and in a Critical Condition.

LONDON, Sept. 27.—A dispatch from Walmer castle to a local news agency says:

"It is learned on good authority that Lady Curzon has undergone a change for the worse, and that her condition is critical."

WALMER CASTLE, KENT, Sept. 27, 7:30 p. m.—Lady Curzon's improvement was not maintained today. She is much exhausted this evening.

Wabash to Have a Park.

WASHINGTON, PA., Sept. 27.—Peter K. Soffel, Jr., representing the Wabash railroad, today purchased 40 acres of level land in Independence township, this county, from James Grimm to be used as a park. Improvements at a cost of $10,000 will be made.

BOX SOCIAL LED TO BOXING SHOW

So Reports Committee on "Fighting Parson" Montgomery Investigation to Presbytery.

ADDITIONAL CHARGES MADE

Elder Edmond P. Heath of the Jefferson Township United Presbyterian church formally presented charges against the Rev. S. P. Montgomery, pastor of that congregation, at the session of the Monongahela presbytery held yesterday in the Robinson Run church, McDonald, Pa. The charges were sealed and were referred, unopened, to a commission of clergymen appointed by Moderator W. J. Reid and vested with power to act finally in the matter.

A written complaint against the pastor, containing nine items and signed by members of the congregation, was also referred to presbytery and was not made public. Heath is the elder who is said to have been knocked out in one round by "Fighting Parson" Montgomery within the church building.

Presbytery convened at 10 o'clock yesterday morning with 150 ministers attending. Mr. Heath was present during the entire session, but Mr. Montgomery is on his vacation.

Shortly after presbytery convened the Heath-Montgomery controversy was taken up. It was recorded that the Rev. Montgomery had reported "a difficulty in the congregation."

After much discussion this was changed to read that there was "a personal difficulty in the church." It was stated during the discussion that Mr. Montgomery had expressed sorrow "that it had been necessary to break the law."

A special committee which had been appointed by presbytery to investigate the matter, which consisted of the Rev. Drs. J. W. English and J. M. Wallace and Layman Samuel Young, offered the following report:

In the matter of the good name of the Rev. S. P. Montgomery of Jefferson church, which was brought to the attention of the presbytery by himself at the last meeting, your committee reports as follows:

Your committee held several meetings to which the parties were invited with a view to repentance and reconciliation, but without success, and your committee cannot, therefore, report progress, and we therefore refer the whole matter to the presbytery.

As Dr. English finished his report clergymen were on their feet protesting against the statement, because neither Mr. Montgomery nor Mr. Heath had met the committee. Dr. J. E. Wishart of Ingram said the committee had done nothing, and had neither brought charges nor finished their work. Dr. David Littel of Pittsburgh was of the same opinion. Dr. J. W. English of the special committee said the committee had tried to bring about a Christian reconciliation, but vacation time had intervened.

Dr. McCrory Wants to Know.

Dr. J. T. McCrory exclaimed: "There is one thing in that report about which the presbytery has no knowledge. The word 'parties' is used. The committee was appointed to investigate what the Rev. S. P. Montgomery had done and the presbytery would like to know what it was he confessed. At the last meeting he said he was sorry for having done something, but did not say what it was. If other parties should come before the presbytery we want to know it. So far the presbytery has no knowledge of anybody else being implicated. I move, therefore, that the report be referred back to the committee, with instructions to prepare a history of what they have found." The motion carried without discussion.

At the opening of the afternoon session the Rev. J. W. English read the new report in which he dwelt briefly upon the facts in the controversy, but stated the committee was not ready to report the matter to the presbytery for action. The report contained no charges, but said that on the night of June 1 a "box social" was given by the young people of the Jefferson church in the church chapel. Mr. Montgomery and Elder Heath assisted. Boxes containing supper for two were marked with the name of the woman. Gentlemen purchased the boxes and were supposed to share the supper and spend the evening with the woman named on the box.

How the Trouble Started.

Mr. Heath purchased a box, but is said he was kept so busy entertaining other guests that he did not spend much time with is partner. He was told that Mr. Montgomery had remarked that he "was not spending much time with his girl." He is said to have asked the pastor if it was true. Upon Mr. Montgomery denying that he had made any such remark, Heath is said to have cried, "That's a lie and not the first one," whereupon the minister struck Heath, knocking him to the floor.

In addition to presenting the committee's report Dr. English handed the moderator the complaint against the pastor.

The report of the committee was accepted and placed on file. Moderator W. J. Reid stated that he had a written charge preferred by Edmond P. Heath against Mr. Montgomery, and he appointed the three members of the committee to be members of a standing commission of five to whom he delivered the written charges, still sealed, together with the written complaints.

The commission is empowered to investigate the charges and complaints thoroughly and to take final action. The two additional members appointed are the Rev. M. M. Patterson and the Rev. E. B. Turner, both of Wilkinsburg.

The commission has power to inflict three degrees of punishment—admonition, rebuke and suspension.

The silver anniversary celebration of the pastorate of Dr. J. W. English of the Robinson Run church was held at 2:30 o'clock. Twenty-five years ago Dr. English was installed pastor of the Robinson Run church, being ordained into the ministry on the same day. He is the fourth pastor of the church has had in its existence of 114 years.

HAYS BOROUGH CITIZENS ARE ON "WILD MAN" HUNT

Searching parties were scouring the woods in the neighborhood of Hays borough last night for a "wild man." Early in the afternoon Alma, aged 9, and Edna, aged 11, daughters of John Jackson of Hays borough, were playing in the woods near their home when a powerful negro, entirely nude, is reported to have burst out upon them from the underbrush emitting frightful yells as he made his way toward them. The children ran to their home screaming with fright. George Jackson, their uncle, attracted by the screams of the children and the frantic cries of the negro, ran to their rescue and pursued the negro, who turned back into the woods. The "wild man" made his escape.

Bogus Citizens in Court.

NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—Charged with violation of the naturalization laws, 26 alleged offenders were arraigned today at a special session of the criminal branch of the United States circuit court. The federal grand jury also handed down 148 additional indictments in naturalization fraud cases.

ALMOST A SOCIAL AFFAIR.

The Hardy & Hayes Company Opening.

Yesterday and today witnessed just such a gathering of Pittsburghers at the Hardy & Hayes Company's Cut Glass opening as is rarely seen in a business house—while with friends greeting friends among Palms, Ferns and profuse decorations of flowers, and brilliancy of Cut Glass, Silver and Decorative Art Objects, gave the opening a charm and dignity seldom attached to business affairs.

The magnificent new silver vied with jewels and the maze of crystal and was the source of critical inspection by some, that could not but cause the initiated to think of the Autumn weddings to come—in fact, some very handsome large pieces were quietly spoken for.

Complete Silver Services for Tea and Dinner were a very attractive feature of the Silver Parlors. These sets range in price in Tea Services from $100.00 to $2,000.00 and on up to superb Dinner Services at $10,000.00.

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ROOSEVELT NAILS IMPUDENT FORGERY

Purports to Be Letter from Him Denouncing Labor Unions.

PRINTED IN MINERS' MAGAZINE

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

BUTTE, MONT., Sept. 27.—When Senator Fairbanks and his party arrived here they found the Republican leaders much exercised over the publication in a miners' magazine by the Western Federation of Miners of what purported to be a denunciation of labor unions by President Roosevelt and a denial of its authenticity by the president. The president's contradiction was sent to former Senator Lee Mantle in response to a telegram of inquiry from him, and was as follows:

"White House, Washington, Sept. 26.

"Your telegram received. The letter you refer to, purporting to be addressed by me to Michael Donnelly, and printed in the Miners' Magazine of September 22, is, of course, an absurd and impudent forgery. I have written no such letter, nor any letter even resembling it, to Mr. Donnelly nor anyone else. I have written Mr. Donnelly, requesting to know if he has received any such letter, and requesting him, if so, to at once lay it before the district attorney at Chicago, to find out whether it is possible to discover and punish the forgers. (Signed)

"THEODORE ROOSEVELT."

The letter in which the president was represented to have made his attack on union labor was addressed to Michael Donnelly of Chicago, president of the Butchers' and Meat Cutters' union. The document is given in full, with President Roosevelt's name attached, but without date, and it is stated it was written in response to an appeal by Donnelly to him to interfere for the settlement of the late butchers' strike. Following are some extracts from it:

"I stand ready to do as my illustrious predecessor, Grover Cleveland, did, and assert the power of this nation against all local nullifiers.

"Last summer I felt impelled to write a letter calling upon my countrymen to put down lynching. But labor union terrorism and crime are as great a national menace as lynch law.

"Let me tell you that the first duty of the officers of the law—whether they be sheriff, constable, municipal officers, mayors, governors or the president himself—is to maintain public order and put down the mob with an iron hand."

After advising Donnelly to put a stop to the strike, the president is represented as saying:

"In any case, be assured I will keep my hands off unless your folly brings you into collision with the laws of the United States, when my hand will go on in a way you will not like. So far as I am concerned, you have barked up the wrong tree. I am not to be either wheedled or frightened into meddling with what is none of my business."

MUSIC AND ADDRESSES OPEN BANK CLERKS' YEAR

Pittsburgh Chapter Hears a Talk by James I. Buchanan on Matters of Interest to Young Financiers.

With a program of music and addresses the Pittsburgh chapter of the American Institute of Bank Clerks opened at the German Beneficial Union hall last evening its season's meetings. Chairman John S. Swartz called the meeting to order and after a bass solo by Addison L. Stevenson an address was made by James I. Buchanan, president of the Pittsburgh Trust Company.

The value of "Now" and the admonition that "the only way to get past work is through it," were two of the features of Mr. Buchanan's address. He varied his advice to the bank clerks with humorous stories and was rewarded with thorough appreciation.

E. P. McMillan gave "Brief Review of the First Annual Convention." "Some Reasons Why We Should Have an Annual Convention of Chapters," was the subject of a talk by J. M. Nicely. E. S. Eggers told "How the Second Annual Convention Surpassed the First." Harry J. Peairs spoke on "The Part Pittsburgh Chapter Took in the Convention." Everett E. Kehew told "How the Delegates from Other Chapters Impressed Me." Archibald G. Boal spoke on "The Inter-City Debate and Some of Its Benefits." "Impressions of Delegates from Other Chapters" and "The Results of the Second Annual Convention," were the subjects of J. S. M. Phillips and D. C. Wills respectively.

Those taking part in the vocal and instrumental music of the evening included William Thaw, DeWaldt J. Hicks, F. R. Huseman, L. E. Huseman, Edwin R. Roach and Frederick W. Van Osten.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

NIXON—Mme. Fritzi Scheff in comedy opera, "The Two Roses," 8:15 p. m.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE—Continuous vaudeville bill of 15 acts headed by Frederic Bond and company, 1:30 to 10:30 p. m.

AVENUE—Harry Davis' stock company in "The Professor's Love Story," 2 and 8 p. m.

DUQUESNE—Arthur Dunn and the Casino Show Girls in "The Runaways," 8:15 p. m.

BIJOU—"Hearts Adrift," 2 and 8 p. m.

EMPIRE—"On the Bridge at Midnight," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

ACADEMY—Bob Manchester's "Cracker Jacks" and 8 p. m. "Love Story."

WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA EXPOSITION—Concerts by the Boys' New York Symphony orchestra, 2, 4, 7:30 and 9:30 p. m.

Alleged Lyncher Acquitted.

HUNTSVILLE, Ala., Sept. 27.—The jury in the case of Benjamin Hill, on trial for alleged participation in the lynching of the negro Maples, today returned a verdict of not guilty.

Hear Anthony Ungaro, the boy marvel, play his sweet-voiced harp at the exposition. Amazing genius.

WIGHTMAN LOSES OLD STREET IN HIS WARD

Discovery Made That Pocussett Was Accidentally Wiped Off City Map—Work Stopped.

President Wightman of select council proposes to introduce an ordinance in councils to correct an error in the street directory and on the records in the city hall which he says was discovered by accident a few days ago by the city solicitor. Mr. Wightman claims to have discovered that there is no Pocussett street in the Twenty-second ward, although the city directory states that Pocussett street was formerly Forward avenue and runs from Schenley park to Murray avenue. At Murray avenue it runs into Forward avenue, which continues across the Beechwood boulevard and to the city line. The city directory further confuses by stating that Forward avenue was formerly Pocussett street, and runs from Second avenue to the city line.

A few years ago it was the intention to change the name of a portion of Pocussett street to Forward avenue, but Wightman has learned that the name of the whole of Pocussett street was changed to Forward avenue. Wightman a short time ago had an ordinance passed through councils providing for the grading, paving and curbing of Pocussett street, and the contract for the work has been let.

Now, he says, he has been informed by the city solicitor that another ordinance will have to be passed by councils changing the name of a portion of Forward avenue back to Pocussett street before the contractors can go ahead and make the improvement.

GOT THEIR INJUNCTION, BUT WELL WAS SPOUTING

Big Oil Suit for Ejectment Is Brought Against Crown Petroleum Company.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

BEAVER, PA., Sept. 27.—One of the biggest oil suits in Beaver county was begun today before Judge S. H. Miller of Mercer county. The suit is for ejectment and involves $50,000. It was brought by John C. Irley, Leopold Vlassek, Hugh Montgomery and Charles R. Montgomery, all prominent oil men, against the Crown Petroleum Company.

The plaintiffs in March, 1902, leased 60 acres in the Georgetown field. The following year the Crown Petroleum Company obtained a lease in the same field, which is said to overlap the other lease by 20 acres. The Crown company began drilling last spring and struck several wells, one of them a 500-barrel gusher. At this juncture the four plaintiffs are alleged to have discovered the leases overlapped and they brought suit for an injunction, which was granted.

When a deputy sheriff arrived at the field to serve the injunction papers, the 500-barrel well was spouting. He had arrived half an hour too late. The suit for ejectment was then brought.

AMERICAN MEDIATION.

National Bar Association Advocates It in Report of International Law Committee.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 27.—At today's session of the American Bar association, the report of its committee on jurisprudence and law reform took up the Russo-Japanese war. It said:

"We submit that the Japanese claim is of a character that affords just grounds for mediation under the second title of The Hague convention. The United States might, as it seems to your committee, very properly avail itself of this provision, and make an endeavor to put an end to the further shedding of blood in Manchuria."

The following resolution was adopted: "That the American Bar association concurs in the resolution adopted by the national arbitration conference at Washington, January 12, 1904, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted to the secretary of state of the United States."

OLD COMRADES MEET.

Second Reunion in Ten Years of Famous Sixteenth Pennsylvania Volunteers.

WASHINGTON, PA., Sept. 27.—(Special.)—For the second time in 10 years the famous Sixteenth Pennsylvania Volunteer cavalry held a reunion in Washington today. Forty-six members of the original command were present. Lieut. Edmund Dunn of Connellsville presided at all the sessions.

The address of welcome was made by Hon. J. F. Taylor and the response by Rev. Samuel E. Cormany of Mt. Pleasant. An original poem was read by Mrs. S. B. McVay of Washington. The roster of the companies was read by Sergt. M. W. Woods of Old Concord, this county. Porter Phipps of Pittsburgh read a history of the regiment.

WAY AND LATIMER SLAYERS ARE SENTENCED

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27.—The Mexican authorities have passed sentence upon the prisoners concerned in the murders of Clarence Way and Edward B. Latimer, American citizens. Francisco Gastro has been sentenced to death, Hermolno Torres, the alcalde of Aguacalciene de Waca—the town where the tragedy occurred—to 10 months' imprisonment and a fine of 500 pesos, and Fidelfo Carrasco to eight months' imprisonment. Messrs. Way and Latimer were killed on July 19.

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SMART TALLY-HO FOR PITTSBURGH

Trial Trip of Stylish Four-in-Hand Was Made Over City Boulevards.

THE ROUTE IS PICTURESQUE

The clarion calls of the trumpet and the champing of prancing steeds, yesterday introduced a new feature in the social life in Pittsburgh, when the city's first modern tally-ho coach made its inaugural trip between the Union club and the Pittsburgh Country club. The route covered 20 miles—along the Grant boulevard, through Schenley park and thence among the rugged hills where the Beechwood boulevard winds its way to the lofty terraces overlooking the picturesque valley of the Monongahela. The drive reveals glimpses of landscape quite as attractive as the famed coaching country in the Trossachs or on the historic Westchester county roads in New York. The round trip was made in four hours. Beginning next Saturday, regular week-day trips will be made over the route, giving every lover of the novelty of coaching an opportunity to indulge in this pleasure.

Col. W. A. Lottimer sat on the box and guided his superb four-in-hand along thoroughfares which necessitated the most finished horsemanship. The coach was built in Paris and is the finest gentleman's four-wheeler ever seen in Pittsburgh. It is finished in black, with panels and trimmings in primrose yellow. On the door panels is the crest of Col. Lottimer and in appropriate lettering are the names of the stations. There is no appointment lacking, and with a guard in scarlet livery the coach presents an appearance as smart as any that ever "sprung" the hills of old England.

Five hundred people crowded around the Frick building yesterday afternoon when the coach started out Grant boulevard, and all along the road the party was greeted with cheers and a waving of handkerchiefs. The run to the Hotel Schenley was made in 27 minutes, and from the Schenley to the Country club in less than 30 minutes. Refreshments were served on the broad veranda of the club house and 30 minutes were spent in the enjoyment of Col. Lottimer's hospitality. The return trip occupied just an hour. The same schedule will be maintained on the regular runs.

The establishment of the coach is expected to give an impetus to driving in Pittsburgh, and it is probable that a four-in-hand club will be organized by local drivers before the season ends.

AMERICUS CLUB GIVES FIRST SMOKER THIS YEAR

Will Be Followed by an Entertainment Every Month During the Winter.

The Americus Republican club was keeping open house last night. It is the intention to hold monthly "smokers," and the entertainment last evening was the first of the series.

The club rooms were crowded all evening by members and their friends. Since the first of the year 350 new members have been added. The total membership is now 1,100, and before the end of next year it is the desire to place at least 400 more names on the roster.

An interesting program had been arranged for the "smoker" by Secretary Harper. During the early evening the musical end of the entertainment was in the hands of the Imperial quartet—Prof. John Gernet, G. A. Priest, J. M. Boreland and J. C. Black. After the theaters had closed entertainers from several of the play houses went to the club. From the Duquesne there were Walter Floyd, C. Ray Comstock, Arthur Dunn, William Meehan and Clarence Harvey. The artists from the Bijou were Roland Pray, E. L. Snader and Burt Wallace. William Courtenay, leading man from the Avenue, was also in the list of entertainers.

FREIGHT TRAINS COLLIDE.

Serious Wreck in Allegheny Caused by a Confusion of Orders.

A confusion of orders about 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon resulted in a head-on collision between two freight trains on the Pittsburgh & Western railroad at River avenue and McFadden street, Allegheny.

An eastbound special known as the "Heinz Shifter" with eight loaded cars ran into the westbound special No. 1252. The latter train was made up of 40 empties bound for the Allegheny yards. The weight of the cars of No. 223 derailed 10 of the empties and piled them up on the tracks and in River avenue.

Engineer Martin Keely of train No. 1252, when he saw a collision was inevitable, jumped and escaped injury. His engine collided with the cars that were being pushed by the engine in charge of Engineer Alex. Foley. The tracks were blocked for several hours. The damage is placed at about $10,000.

PHELPS GOES TO BOSTON.

Judge Who Fined English Diplomat Says He Will Apologize If Necessary.

PITTSFIELD, MASS., Sept. 27.—Summoned by Lieut.-Gov. Curtis Guild, Associate Judge Henry C. Phelps of Lee, who fined Hugh Gurney, third secretary of the British embassy, yesterday in the Lee court, left tonight at 7 o'clock for Boston.

Mr. Phelps declined to say anything about his trip. Before he received a long dispatch from Lieut.-Gov. Guild, Mr. Phelps said this morning: "I will apologize if necessary. When I imposed the fine I didn't know that international law had anything to do with the case."

Ambassador Sir Henry Mortimer Durand arrived in Lenox from Washington at 7:30 tonight. The ambassador declined to talk.

DEPUTY SHERIFFS ARE ON GUARD AT GLASSPORT

Seven Stationed at Pittsburgh Steel Foundry Plant, Who Expect to Have Trouble.

Seven special deputy sheriffs now guard the plant of the Pittsburgh Steel Foundry Company at Glassport and at points 10 feet apart incandescent electric lights have been placed throughout the entire plant to prevent the approach of marauders unseen at night.

These preparations to prevent trouble at the works, where a strike is on and where there have already been several serious riots, are the result of a conference yesterday between Supt. Duncan McDougal of the company and Sheriff James W. Dickson, ex-Sheriff William McKinley and Chief Deputy Grenet.

The seven deputies at the works challenge every visitor who approaches. Visitors at night must prove their right to admittance or they cannot pass.

At the strikers' headquarters in Glassport last night were many women who have joined the men in their fight.

For the first time since the strike was inaugurated Supt. McDougal went to his home last night for a sound night's rest, feeling that the plant was safe from attack. The deputies expect trouble.

BURGLARS' NARROW ESCAPE.

Lawrenceville Saloonkeeper Fires on Two Thieves from His Bedroom Window.

Burglars attempted to enter the saloon of Fred Hochsuter, No. 4735 Butler street, early yesterday morning and they had a narrow escape from being shot. Hochsuter raised the bedroom window and fired four shots at the men while they were at work on the door below. It is not believed any of the shots took effect, although the burglars were only about 10 feet away when they were fired upon. In their flight the burglars left their tools behind.

This is the third attempt that has been made to rob this place in two weeks. Last week the burglars effected an entrance into the saloon, but were frightened away before they had time to open the small safe.

Special Officers Denniston and Dunn made an investigation of the case. They were unable to find any blood stains about the place and they think the men were not injured.

POLICE THINK THEY HAVE CLUE TO COUNTERFEITERS

Duquesne police think they have a direct clue to a gang of men and boys who have been responsible for passing considerable counterfeit money there during the past few weeks. They made such a statement yesterday, following the arrest of two boys Monday night, while the youngsters were in the act of passing counterfeit coins. Eddie Lutz is one of the boys and the other is a Polish youth whose name was not learned. Both are about 15 years old. When searched two bad half-dollars and two bad quarters were found in Lutz's pocket. The police think the boys are tools for the rest of the band.

Strikers' Long March.

BEAVER FALLS, Sept. 27.—(Special.) Five hundred Italian laborers on the Erie & Pittsburgh railroad struck today for an increase of 20 cents a day. They marched from New Brighton to Homewood, a distance of 14 miles, when they were met by officials of the company and urged to return to work pending a conference to take place October 1. During the march the strikers compelled all section men and the crews of two construction trains they met to join their ranks.

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived—September 27.

New York—Prinz Adalbert, Genoa; Kaiser Wilhelm II, Bremen; Frederick der Grosse, Bremen; Georgic, Liverpool.

Philadelphia—Rhynland, Antwerp.

Bremen—Kronprinz Wilhelm, New York, via Plymouth and Cherbourg.

Queenstown—Haverford, Philadelphia, for Liverpool; Oceanic, New York, for Liverpool, and both proceeded.

Plume—Ultonia, New York, via Naples.

Genoa—Liguria, New York.

Dover—Pennsylvania, New York, for Hamburg, and proceeded.

Christiana—Kentucky, New York, for Copenhagen.

London—Mosaba, New York.

Glasgow—Numidian, New York.

Auckland—Sierra, San Francisco, via Honolulu, for Sydney, N. S. W.

Naples—Slavonia, New York.

Sailed—September 27.

New York—Statendam, Rotterdam, via Boulogne; Pannonia, Naples, Trieste and Fiume; Armenian, Liverpool.

Naples—Lombardia, New York.

Christiana—Oscar II, New York.

Liverpool—Lake Manitoba, Montreal; Saxonia, Boston, via Queenstown.

Passed—September 27.

Lizard—Switzerland, Philadelphia, for Antwerp.

Brow Head—Oceanic, New York, for Liverpool; Michigan, Boston, for Liverpool.

Kinsale—Cornishman, Portland, for Liverpool.

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$400 Emerson Square	$ 45
$450 Chickering Square	$ 65
$400 Kimball Upright, used	$135
$400 Chickering & Son Upright	$165
$450 Steinway Upright, used	$185
$400 Kimball Upright, used	$245
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LUNATIC SAVES SHERIFF FROM A JAIL BREAK

Overheard Desperate Prisoners Plotting and Locked Door of Cell in Which They Were.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

SHARON, PA., Sept. 27.—A bold plot to attack Sheriff W. W. Lytle and break jail was frustrated last night by a lunatic prisoner who overheard the scheme laid by three of the most desperate prisoners in the jail, and gave the alarm. The prisoners who planned to escape are Frederick Green, George Hallenbach and George Cotton.

Just before it was time for the sheriff to make his rounds the prisoners crowded into one cell. They planned to bind and gag the sheriff and steal his keys. John Maloney of Greenville, who is demented, overheard the plot and, crawling on his hands and knees to the cell where the three men were awaiting the approach of the sheriff, he slammed the door, which has a spring lock. Then he told Sheriff Lytle of the plot.

The men confessed. In the cell was found the leg of an iron stool, which they expected to use as a weapon.

NOW HE WANTS A SHARE.

Father Suing Son's Widow for Portion of a Valuable Estate.

BUCYRUS, O., Sept. 27.—(Special.)—A peculiar case was filed in court here today by Henry Avery of Dunbar, Pa., against Elizabeth Avery, his son's widow.

Avery says when his son died at his home in Allegheny, Pa., he left only two heirs, a wife and his father. Under the laws of Pennsylvania both would divide the estate equally. Mr. Avery says the widow fraudulently represented her home as Cresline, O., and, under the laws of Ohio, secured all the estate. The plaintiff asks the court to decree him half the property, which consists largely of Colorado mining stocks which have become valuable.

MAINTAINED DISCIPLINE.

Kentucky Method Is Just Claiming the Life of the Fourth Victim.

LEXINGTON, KY., Sept. 27.—Col. D. C. Colson, ex-congressman from the Eleventh Kentucky district, is dying at his home in Middlesboro tonight from wounds received in his famous pistol duel with Lieut. Ethelbert Scott in the Capitol hotel in Frankfort in 1900.

In the duel Lieut. Scott and two bystanders named Demereo and Julian were killed and two men wounded. The battle was across the lobby of the Capitol hotel, crowded with guests, and some 20 shots were fired, both men using two revolvers. The trouble was over military discipline in the Fourth Kentucky volunteer regiment.

Burglars Confess Crime.

John Martin and Clarence Barnett confessed yesterday to the robbery of C. Cooperman's clothing store in Wylie avenue. They were seen in the store by Officer Callen, who went to the alley in the rear to capture them, overlooking an alley at the side of the building. They escaped through this side alley and Callen was suspended until he affected their capture, for not knowing every alley on his beat.

Wiconisco Badly Scorched.

HARRISBURG, Sept. 27.—The local fire department was called upon early this morning for aid in fighting a big fire, which, it is reported, is destroying the mining town of Wiconisco, Dauphin county. The fire started in the four-story frame hosiery mill of W. H. Sheafer of Philadelphia, which was destroyed, with 12 other buildings. At 1 o'clock the fire is still burning but is under control. Loss, $100,000.

McCoy Wins Fight.

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 27.—Kid McCoy received the decision tonight over Twin Sullivan at the end of the 20th round.

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'QUIRE MUNCEY'S FIRST WEDDING

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EVENT AT CASTLE SHANNON

'Squire W. H. Muncey of Castle Shannon performed his first marriage ceremony last evening and it was a Castle Shannon society event of more than usual importance, judging from the number of friends who gathered to congratulate the newly wedded couple and to help enjoy the refreshments handed out by the happy groom.

The contracting couple were George Giron, a native of Alsace, and Miss Emma Mitchell, a Castle Shannon girl, born and bred. The groom is employed in the mines of the Pittsburgh Terminal Coal Company at Castle Shannon. The young woman is just as pretty as any bride who ever traveled to the altar to the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march and listened to the music of a full-robed choir and the words of a gowned priest. She was really pretty and 'Squire Muncey established a bad precedent when he neglected to kiss the bride and forced at least a dozen other willing male guests to follow his bad example.

'Squire Muncey has held office only about three months, having been appointed by Gov. Pennypacker to fill a vacancy. The first information filed before him was made August 14 and the prosecutor was Mr. Giron, the groom of last evening.

Gave Justice First Case.

Giron belongs to the better class of miners and has joined hands with the justice of the peace to help clean up the lawless and disorderly element which has gone into Castle Shannon. The informations were against several Italians for riot. When Giron applied to 'Squire Muncey to perform his wedding ceremony the justice was inclined to send him to a priest, but Giron insisted.

"I gave you your first case," he argued, "and I like you. I want you to do all my business."

So 'Squire Muncey consented, after figuring out that, in all human probability, he would not have much more of the same kind of business from Giron.

In Pittsburgh 'Squire Muncey is not known by his title, as he is in Castle Shannon. In the Steel City he is known as Detective Muncey, the head of the National Detective agency. After he puts away his false whiskers and slouch hats and other disguises for the day and gets back to his Castle Shannon home, he takes on the title of 'squire. He arrived home last evening promptly at 8 o'clock. Three minutes later the wedding party appeared.

"Why, I didn't expect you for an hour yet," exclaimed the surprised 'squire.

Had Nothing Else to Do.

"Yes; 7 o'clock was the time, but we hadn't anything else to do and thought we might as well have it over," explained the groom.

"Well, you'll have to wait now until I get ready," responded the 'squire, as he agitated a lather brush in a cup and stirred up a creamy foam, which he began spreading over his chin. "You see, I knew this thing was going to last you for a lifetime and, if anything, I looked for you to be a little behind time. I could have started from the office sooner, but didn't. You better sit down here in the parlor till I get shaved."

So the bride and the groom and the parents and friends of the couple seated themselves about the parlor and waited, while the 'squire disappeared into the upper regions of the house. In the course of half an hour he came down again, treading slowly and thoughtfully. Miss Grace Smith, a pretty neighbor and a remarkably good performer on the piano, seated herself at the instrument and struck up the strains of the wedding march.

Attack of Stage Fright.

The bridal couple sat still while the 'squire fell into step and marched slowly through the hall, through the dining room and into the center of the parlor floor, where he waited for the music to cease. He was attired in a long black coat and a nervous perspiration, but managed to find his voice by the time Mendelssohn had been duly disposed of. His brother Frank, who was present, said:

"Listen! He's trembling so you can hear his money jingle."

The 'squire just turned a look of cold disdain on the brother and, clearing his throat, ordered the couple to stand up.

The service was short and simple. When the 'squire asked:

"Do you take this woman to be your lawfully wedded wife?" Giron murmured:

"Yep."

"Say, 'I will,'" corrected the 'squire, and Giron said:

"I will."

When it came the woman's turn, the 'squire made her promise to obey, and she promised, apparently, without any reservation. When the service was ended the 'squire proceeded to give them some good advice, the experience of an old married man.

"Emma," he said to the bride, "you know you have promised to obey George. But that doesn't mean that you have to do everything he says, and"

The Bride Was Wise.

"Oh, yes, I know," responded the bride, cheerfully, evidencing a full knowledge of a woman's conception of the meaning of the word "obey" when it appears in the marriage service.

The 'squire's brother Frank came up to congratulate the couple.

"A long and happy life to you, George," he said, "and may all your troubles be little ones."

"I hope so," fervently murmured the groom, who, now that the event was over, was plainly beginning to show the effects of the nervous strain. The 'squire had a beautiful speech prepared for the occasion, but about this time he forgot it all, and if it is ever made public he will have to do as they do in congress: Get "leave to print" and have it inserted in the record.

The bridal party left the house then and went to the Mitchell home at Grove station, on the Castle Shannon railway, where a banquet and a rousing serenade awaited them.

POLISH CATHOLICS MEET.

Triennial National Convention Opens in St. Stanislaus Church—Officers Elected.

The triennial national convention of the Polish Roman Catholic church convened in St. Stanislaus church, Smallman and Twenty-first streets, yesterday morning, and will continue in session until tomorrow. About 150 priests and 200 delegates are attending.

Bishop P. J. Donahue of Wheeling celebrated high pontifical mass and was followed by Coadjutor Bishop J. Regis Canevin with an English sermon, and the Rev. Father Barabaz with a sermon in Polish.

At the afternoon session these officers were elected: President, the Rev. Dr. Barabaz of the South Side; vice president, F. Tyckrot of Scranton; secretary, L. Machnekowski of Pittsburgh. The newly elected officers made short addresses and after the reading of several reports the convention adjourned to today.

Congregation Recalls Pastor.

The Rev. Dr. E. M. Wood has been tendered a unanimous recall to the pulpit of the Fifth avenue Methodist Episcopal church. The call has not yet been accepted. Dr. Wood has been with the congregation four years.

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BIG GATHERING OF PHYSICIANS

President of the Medical Society of Pennsylvania Praises Work of W. C. T. U.

BRILLIANT BALL AT SCHENLEY

An earnest appeal for the thorough teaching of hygiene and a statement of the terrible effects resulting from the excessive uses of alcohol and narcotics was the keynote of the annual address delivered last night in the Carnegie Music hall by Dr. William B. Ulrich of Chester, president of the Medical Society of the State of Pennsylvania. Dr. Ulrich's address marked the climax of the first day's session of the fifty-fourth annual meeting of the society. The hall was crowded with physicians from all parts of the state and their lady guests. It was a brilliantly dressed audience, and all who listened to Dr. Ulrich immediately repaired to the Hotel Schenley, where a reception and ball was held.

Over 500 visitors are in the city attending the meeting, and the ball last night resulted in filling the Schenley's corridors with nearly 800 guests. It is the largest gathering of the medical fraternity ever held in Pittsburgh.

Dr. Ulrich has practiced medicine for more than half a century. He began by paying a high compliment to the general practitioner, pointing out how it was the "good, all-round country doctor" who had been instrumental in laying the foundation for the upbuilding of the study of medicine in America. Continuing, Dr. Ulrich said in part:

Doctors Interested in Filtration.

This is the fifth time that the Pennsylvania society has held a meeting in Pittsburgh. Its eighteenth, twenty-ninth and fortieth meetings were held here, and now when we return we are impressed with the wonderful changes which have been wrought in this city in the last few years. But what interests men of our profession most of all is that Pittsburgh soon will boast of a great filtration plant. Comparison with Pittsburgh of today with the Pittsburgh we have known in the past shows that no city has made greater progress in sanitation and domestic arts.

We are told that with a pure water supply from 400 to 500 lives will be saved annually and that the 40 to 50 cases of typhoid fever a month will be materially decreased. These figures are conservative and the estimates are reasonably within the bounds of possibility.

The education of children in the knowledge of the evil effects of the excessive use of narcotics and alcohol is most urgent and most timely. To no calling are these evils more strikingly evidenced than to the medical profession. We are privileged to witness the pathological effects of alcohol. The time has come for a medical temperance crusade, and we owe much to the self-sacrificing enthusiasm of that laudable organization, the Women's Christian Temperance Union. The medical fraternity can do much toward aiding its noble cause.

The study of hygiene in its relations to alcohol is compulsory in the public schools in all the states and territories, and millions of children are receiving instruction which will prove invaluable. This instruction already is bearing fruit. It is leading our whole population to appreciate the full value of sanitary science, resulting in the practical co-operation with boards of health in the prevention of epidemics.

I hail the dawn of preventive medicines. When all the people learn to respect the laws of health there will be a marked decrease in the use of drugs, because less medicine will be needed. Our race will reach nearer the goal of physical perfection.

National Guard Well Represented.

W. K. Steiner entertained the audience with two organ solos during the evening session. The National Guard of Pennsylvania is well represented among the delegates. Those who attended last night's meeting were Col. J. K. Weaver of Norristown, surgeon-general of the state; Col. A. L. Holberstadt, surgeon of the Third brigade, and Maj. C. C. Wiley, surgeon of the Eighteenth regiment.

The ball last night was the first brilliant social function of the season at the Schenley. The main corridor was transformed into a reception room, beautified with plants and made hospitable in its appearance by several immense punch bowls, where refreshments were served. The ball commenced at 11 o'clock, after the reception which followed the arrival of the president.

The opening session was held in the Carnegie hall at 9:30 o'clock yesterday morning. The delegates were welcomed by Dr. W. J. Holland, Dr. T. M. T. McKennan and Assistant City Solicitor John A. Blair, who spoke on behalf of Mayor Hays.

Doctors at a Disadvantage.

At the afternoon session Dr. P. Y. Eisenberg of Norristown, the third vice president, presided at the request of President Ulrich. The paper of Dr. Winters D. Hamaker of Meadville on "Surgery" was probably of greatest interest owing to numerous suggestions made, which will be acted on by the committee on legislation today. He took for the main topic of his address "Damage Suits Against Surgeons."

Dr. Hamaker said the number of these suits was appalling and the danger seemed to be increasing. He said there would be no cause for complaint were it not for the juries, who out of ignorance or sympathy for the plaintiff bring in verdicts not justified by the law or evidence, and which have on several occasions been set aside by the judges. He declared that the surgeon brought into court is at a disadvantage, for before a jury ignorant or surgery a case may be made out worse than it is and even made up entirely. He pointed out one bad feature that the courts will not allow an examination under anaesthetic to make a complete diagnosis, but the worst feature, he declared, was that the profession had devised no system of common defense. He urged that the society take some action looking toward the appointment of experts by the court instead of allowing so-called experts called in the interest of the defense to testify.

Other addresses were: "Obstetrics," X. O. Werder, Pittsburgh; "Hygiene and State Medicine," Alexander C. Abbot, Philadelphia; "Neurology," William K. Walker, Dixmont; "Laryngology," Daniel M. Mears, Scranton; "The Physician and the State," Benjamin Lee, Philadelphia; "The Professional Responsibility for Accident Cases Involving Damage Suits," John B. Roberts, Philadelphia; "Personal Recollections of Drs. John L. and Washington L. Attee," B. H. Detwiler, Williamsport; "Specialisms," Boardman Reed, Philadelphia.

Today's sessions will be devoted to routine business and to the reading of papers pertaining to medical subjects. Tonight the ladies will be entertained at the Carnegie music hall, where a concert will be given by the Apollo club. The men will enjoy a smoker at the Union club.

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SISTER SUES FOR BROTHER.

Negress Accused of Shooting Charles Maloy—Man Wounded in the Head.

Mrs. Anna Hefernan of 645 Second avenue, made an information before Alderman Groetzinger, yesterday, charging Lizzie Perkins, a negress, of 649 Second avenue, with felonious shooting.

The information is made on behalf of Charles Maloy, a brother of Mrs. Hefernan. The negress, it is claimed, fired three shots from a revolver at Maloy on Sunday night, one of them striking him on the side of the head, inflicting a flesh wound. Both Maloy and the woman were arrested the night of the shooting and fined by Magistrate Stewart.

BROKEN CURRYCOMB MAY COST HIM HIS LIFE

Joseph Steele, a veteran of the civil war and prominent in business circles of Braddock, is dying of blood poisoning at his home on Fourth street, that place, as a result of a slight injury to his right hand, received on Labor day while currying his horse. A piece of tin from the comb scratched his hand. Two weeks ago the hand became paralyzed. The poison spread through his entire system. The family physician yesterday summoned Dr. S. F. Stewart, the surgeon of Mercy hospital, and after a consultation stated there was no hope of saving his life.

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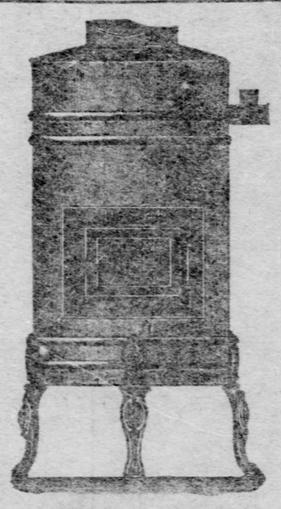

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Those we offer today are even a greater bargain, in that Cape Gloves are more seasonable in September, are scarcer, and in greater demand. There are two styles—one large pearl button, or one clasp—both very mannish in appearance, both finished with Paris point embroidery. Shown in all street shades—English red, brown, mode and different shades of tan.

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Women's plain black, German Isle hose, double soles and toes, regular 50c grade at 35c a pair. Say 3 pairs and we'll say $1.00.

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New Waists for Suspender Dresses.

The Suspender Dress instead of waning with the Summer is seen more and more as Autumn progresses. Young people have very decided likes and dislikes in the matter of dress—and they have pronounced in favor of the suspender dress.

We are showing new waists for wear with these dresses in silk, in wool or in cotton. All of these materials will be worn.

White lawn waists—tucked yokes, full sleeves, sizes 4 to 14, $1.35.
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Cashmere Waists in different styles and sizes at $3.00.
Silk Waists for girls of 6 and up to 12 years of age, at $4.50.

New Apparel for Girls and Misses.

There is a tone of militarism throughout the lines of new coats and suits for girls. There is the coat in military and cadet blue, with brass buttons and a touch of braid. Then there is the out-and-out military coat, military blue, lined with red flannel, trimmed with brass buttons, etc. And most of them have emblems on the sleeves, which further increase the effect.

Girls' flannel lined, fine blue cheviot Coats, with embroidered emblems, sizes 4 to 14 years, $9.00.
Girls' Coats in cadet blue, velvet trimming and military buttons, sizes 6 to 12 years, $6.00.
Girls' Coats in brown and blue cheviot, natty military styles, sizes 4 to 12 years, $6.50.
Newest effects in Box and Inverness styles—a very complete range at $8.50 and up to $25.00.
Misses' Tourist Coats in black and blue cheviot—full sleeves—belted back—$10.00 to $25.00.
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X-Ray Stove Polish.

As September nears the end the housewife decides that it is high time to put up the heating stoves that have been stored away during the summer. In most cases, though, they were in first-class condition when taken down, but are much the worse for rust after a season of disuse.

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26 and 28 inch. Coverings of finest black silks. Handles of finest ivory, inlaid or with sterling trimmings. Solid sterling handles. Snakeskin with sterling trimmings. Imported horn with sterling trimmings. No two alike. Were $10.00 to $16.50, today $5.00 to $8.25.

The Styles for Women—

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The Sparkle of Autumn Neckwear.

Many of the bits of neckwear which the season has brought forth for women fairly sparkle with jet, opalescent and multi-colored beads. Beads are woven into the pattern of the lace and silk. Opalescent ornaments are appliqued into the design, and some of the stocks and collarettes are entirely of jet.

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Yokes of opalescent coloring with godet ruffle, $2.25 and up to $4.50.
A new assortment of beaded Stocks, 50c and up to $4.50.
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Wednesday, September 28, 1904.

By the government crop report for the week we learn that the weather in all sections has been highly favorable for development and maturing of late corn. This crop is now practically beyond possibility of injury by frost and will be large. The acre average will be materially below that of last year, but the government reports do not agree with those of private experts that the shortage will reach 100,000,000 bushels. This matter is of great importance, for a good corn crop makes heavy business for the railroads and means more meat at less prices for the consuming public. Corn is a larger factor in national prosperity than wheat, though the fact is sometimes overlooked.

It was reported some days ago that the Carnegie Company had ordered its heads of departments not to employ skilled men who have passed the age of 35 years. This has been construed by a local contemporary to mean that men of more than 35 years are not to be continued in the service of the company. The interpretation is wide of the mark. Men may continue in the service as long as they are capable and then probably retire upon pension. The object is to not take on any new men who have passed the age specified. The same rule was established by the Pennsylvania railroad when it inaugurated its pension system. The age of retirement is 65 years. Thus it is provided that no person shall be eligible to the old age pension except those who have been 30 years in the service of the company. The company, however, relies largely upon men between the ages of 35 and 65.

The attempt of Candidate Parker to inject anti-imperialism into the campaign is met promptly by the publication of a letter from Governor Wright of the Philippines, in which he deprecates the continued agitation of the question of self-government for the Filipinos. The editorials and other utterances claiming that they are ready for immediate independence are at once copied in that country and create a spirit of unrest among the men who should be qualifying themselves for citizenship. There would be less objection to discussing the question of independence if the people who uttered these expressions did not do so in an academic and theoretical manner. They are in danger of idealizing the Filipino and giving him qualities that he has not yet attained. We are finding that it requires years for a race to emerge from the impediments of crude conditions to self-respecting citizenship.

The news dispatches convey the information that the Nishmi Novgorod of the Russian volunteer fleet has passed the Bosporus, bound for Crete, carrying no guns or ammunition and sailing under the Russian commercial flag. We may expect soon to hear of other vessels of the Black sea fleet coming out under the same conditions. It is probable their armament was sent overland to Cronstadt before the Baltic fleet left that port and that it will be returned to them when they join that squadron. If that is the Russian purpose it will raise a serious international question. Technically the decision of the Berlin congress is evaded, but in spirit that convention is violated. This will not be pleasant for the powers signatory to that agreement, though none is likely to make open protest save England. How vigorous the protest of that nation may become we cannot tell, but the matter contains the elements of grave complications.

Russian troops mobilizing for service in the second Manchurian army have indulged in anti-Semitic demonstrations at several points. They have personally maltreated the Jewish inhabitants of the towns and looted their premises. This is worse, if that be possible, than the outrage of last year at Kishineff, for soldiers are supposed to be disciplined and available for preserving the peace. It has been the policy of Russian officialdom, however, to declare the war in the far east to be a religious struggle—a battle to the death between Christianity and paganism. The passions of the ignorant peasantry have been aroused against non-Christians of every degree and type, though they be loyal Russians. And it may be taken for granted that Russian officialdom is not aggrieved to see the fanatic spirit thus developed and that no measures will be taken to punish the rioters. Yet Russia wonders why it does not enjoy the sympathy of the civilized world.

The court-martial to try the charge that the militia company at Huntsville, Ala., failed to protect a negro from the mob September 7 finds the amateur soldiers guilty and recommends that the company be disbanded. It further finds that "there were men and ammunition enough to defend the prisoner had the company been intelligently and courageously commanded." The acting governor has approved the finding and the men will be disgraced. It seems a pity that some severe punishment could not be applied to armed men who skulked in closets and under beds at the approach of a mob, when a determined stand would no doubt have dispersed the enemy without the firing of a volley. The negligence of the officers in this case was even more notorious than that shown at Springfield, O., prior to the race riot. Sham battles and military maneuvers are of little use to such cowards and the sooner they are found out and cashiered the better for the service.

Good Work Done by Col. Church

That Col. Church's criticism of the methods of the Sabbath Observance association was a timely utterance is shown by the fact that some clergymen are already following his courageous lead and are making it clear to the public that the association should not be regarded as representing the Christian church, and their example will probably be followed by others. Clergymen holding views of Christian duty different from those animating the association are at last speaking out and are making distinctions which are of extreme importance to the dignity and moral influence of the church.

These distinctions cannot be too strongly impressed upon the public knowledge. Scholars are perfectly well aware that the application of the obligations of the Sabbath to the observance of the first day of the week is not supported either by the fathers of the Christian church or by the founders of Protestantism. But the mass of people do not know these things, and when they find themselves circumscribed in their Sunday comfort by a harsh and vexatious enforcement of an old statute they are apt to look only at the fact that men described as Christian ministers are active in the movement, and hence may conclude that it represents the attitude of the church toward the people. A man who stops in a drug store on a warm Sunday to get a drink of soda water, in a city where hydrant water is about the most dangerous thing one can drink, and finds the sale stopped through the efforts of spies and informers under what purport to be Christian auspices, is apt to carry way with him feelings of rancor extending to the religious system which bears such fruits. And in the crowded city slums where poverty compels reliance upon the neighborhood grocery for Sunday supplies of ice and milk, the real privations experienced at times from the operations of persecuting Sabbatarians must leave a deep sentiment of hatred. Any association of the church with such cruel oppression is calculated to make odious the very name of Christianity among the very classes to whom it should be endeared by its crowning attribute of charity.

There is undoubtedly need for Sunday laws and all laws are entitled to the support of good citizens, but that does not make it expedient for the church through its office-bearers to take an active part in detecting and prosecuting offenses, whether as regards Sunday labor or as regards theft, murder, arson or other crimes. Amateur work of that kind is not usually attractive to respectable people. But since there are those who see fit to assume such duty as regards the Sunday laws it is particularly important that it shall be distinctly understood that their action represents their own ideas and principles and does not represent Christian sentiment as such. Col. Church has rendered good service to the cause of Christianity by forcing the distinction upon the attention of the community.

Constitutionalism.

If the talk about constitutionalism vs. imperialism which Judge Parker indulges is anything more than campaign rant it must mean that Democratic party ideas and not the decisions of the supreme court determine constitutionality. There is direct proof that this view is held. In 1896 the Democratic platform intimated that the decision of the supreme court in the income tax case would be conformed to the Democratic party position "from its reversal by the court as it may hereafter be constituted." In his speech of acceptance Judge Parker advanced the same idea that party interpretation of constitutionality is superior to that of the supreme court, when he complained that "statutes have been set aside as unconstitutional when it was difficult to point out the provisions offended against in their enactment." In other words, the courts are blamable in that they do not accept Democratic party policy as the rule of constitutionality. The logical inference is that the "return" to the Constitution which the Democratic party is seeking is one that will place the judicial department of the government in a position of subordination.

Thus when illustrated by Democratic declarations of purpose we discover that what is really meant by a return to the Constitution is a departure from it. The Constitution is too broad a document to suit the narrow and contracted views of national authority which the Democratic party have adopted. If the right of the United States to acquire and govern territory is imperialism then the Constitution is thoroughly imperialistic, for it makes provision for just that thing and we know from the writings of the framers, as Franklin remarked, they had in mind that the time would come when the United States would have "colonies" like other powers. It would have been strange that they should have failed to foresee such a contingency when colonization was a proceeding in which every great nation engaged and it was one to which the American nation owed its own existence. If it had been decided that the language of the Constitution did not confer upon congress full power to govern the territory of the United States we should have been bound to conclude that the fathers had not given valid expression to their intent, for the fact of such intent is not open to dispute. It is plainly of record. The supreme court has, however, held that there is no defect in the expression of that intent, for full constitutional authority exists. Therefore, when Judge Parker, backed by the Democratic party, proposes to reduce that authority the Constitution is assailed. This, then, is the true meaning of the so-called issue of constitutionalism vs. imperialism. It is really the Democratic party vs. the framers of the Constitution and the supreme court of the United States.

Deadlock Broken.

Settlement of the controversy in the Thirty-third senatorial district by the voluntary withdrawal of Mr. A. C. Welch, has given much pleasure at Republican headquarters and Mr. Welch is in high favor. This is the last nomination to be filed by the Republicans at Harrisburg and it gets in on the last possible day. The contest between Franklin and Huntingdon for this honor has been a protracted one. The deadlock was serious a month ago. Chairman Penrose was appealed to for action under the party rule providing for an umpire in such cases, but declined to act on account of the probability that the Dauphin county court would not sustain the rule.

It was suggested by The Gazette at that time that one of the candidates should withdraw in the interest of party harmony and success. This course has finally been taken. There is no possible doubt about the election of the nominee and the party in the district must feel under obligation to Mr. Welch. He has shown the proper spirit in subordinating his personal ambition to the welfare of his party and in future should have his deserved reward.

Inviolate But Not Unpunishable

The trouble occasioned by the action of a Massachusetts squire in fining a secretary of the British embassy gives what is on first view a rather startling idea of the extent of diplomatic immunity. Foreign ambassadors and ministers and all their suites are not only exempt from arrest, but any attempt at arrest or the service of a writ is a punishable offense against the laws of the United States. So in the case of Mr. Hugh Gurney there appears to be nothing to do but to tender apologies and make such reparation as may be deemed reasonable.

While it may seem extraordinary that any class of persons should thus be exempt from all legal responsibility the license accorded them is more nominal than real. It means only that their persons are inviolable as the representatives of their sovereign. If they abuse the peculiar privileges attached to that status an intimation that their presence is not desirable will send them home in disgrace. Hence it is not an unusual occurrence for foreign attaches caught in some misdemeanor to plead diplomatic privilege. It has happened heretofore that one of their number who got too gay has been picked up by the police and has been quite satisfied to pay the police court fine and let the matter drop.

It is very likely that Mr. Gurney will wish he had pursued a similar course before he gets through. When the facts are laid before his superiors that he plead diplomatic privilege when arraigned for running his motor car through the streets at a rate of over 20 miles an hour, they may conclude that the king's dignity is not satisfactorily represented in the person of that young diplomatist.

Another Russian Black sea cruiser has passed the Bosporus flying a commercial flag and said to be without guns or ammunition. Those were probably shipped to the Baltic to be brought along by the fleet from there.

Is there any significance in the coincidence that William Waldorf Astor's London Pall Mall Gazette is attacking American railroad management, while Mr. Astor is locating routes for the Tunis mono-rail system?

Col. Church's view has confirmation in the demand of the hotel men for the repeal of the Sunday law. What they really desire is not repeal, but wiser construction. They mistake effect for cause.

Southern orators have been instructed from Democratic national headquarters to drop the race issue. Oh, me; oh, my! A fortnight ago President Roosevelt was accused of creating this issue.

As in the Panama matter the Democrats pretend to believe the old soldier should have a pension, and make their public objections to the way in which it was done.

President Roosevelt will call the peace conference and will try to make it a success. Wherefore the Democrats have no further use for the interparliamentary union.

Window glass men will soon begin to blow and when they blow there is valuable output. In this they differ from others who shall be nameless.

Judge Parker thinks it more dignified for a veteran to accept an age pension than to take one for presumptive disability. But why?

Judge Parker admits that an age pension is a good thing—provided members of congress from the south will agree to it.

Here is where the doctors discuss small ailments with big names and a great many interesting things besides.

Just now the country is good, while the maples are decorated in crimson and gold.

Russia is winning the usual victories preliminary to a big defeat. 'Twas always thus.

It is good weather for late corn and late corn is good for the country.

Col. Church put in the pertinent word at the psychological moment.

Now, Grandpa Davis, please accept, quick.

What Roosevelt Might Do.

Up to date the total of the Democratic campaign has been on the issue of Mr. Roosevelt's personality. No Democrat wants to discuss his party platforms, either past or present, and he shies as well from the Republican declarations. To quote the independent's summary of the charges against the president "he is heady, reckless, ambitious, and that for this reason he is not a safe man to be elected president. There is no knowing, they tell us, into what mischief and dangers he might plunge us. This is their favorite weapon of attack. They charge him with being reckless and ambitious. They lampoon him as 'emperor.'"—Kansas City Journal.

Signalling Apparatus Needed.

No sophistry will excuse the running of swift express trains under primitive and frontier conditions of track and equipment and without sufficient signalling apparatus. It will not do to lay the whole blame of the disaster upon the dead engineer of the wrecked No. 15. Such accidents are preventable, and they must be prevented. American railroad engineers and railroad managers know no superiors in cleverness. They lead the world in solving problems of cheap freight mileage. They can make passenger traffic safe and they will do so whenever an outraged public opinion compels it.—New York World.

Preventable Catastrophes.

Can a halt be called on the frightful accidents of almost daily occurrence? If so, it is time the call was sounded and sounded effectively. Last year was considered a record year of horrors, but is record is not up to that of 1903 with disasters on land and sea, and with disasters where the exercise of the most ordinary prudence and attention to duty could have operated to prevention.—Commercial Tribune.

Parker and the Pension Order.

The Times has not declared itself in favor of an age pension. It regrets that Judge Parker has so declared himself, but at any rate he promises to act with proper regard to constitutional limitations.—New York Times.

Talked of in Gotham

By FRANK A. PARKER.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—There are all sorts of queer trades in New York, and two young men, Isadore Frankle, aged 23, and Louis H. Lobar, aged 19, have discovered there is some objection to at least one of them. These two bright youths are under bond on a charge of impersonating students who fear they cannot pass the regents' examination at Columbia university, and therefore employ proxies. The accused men are said to pass these examinations for their employers at rates that range from $30 to $300, according to the amount the student is willing or able to pay. It was alleged Lobar passed one examination today, and was preparing to take it again tomorrow. How many times the two youths had been before the board of regents this fall is hard to say, as it was only yesterday members of the board discovered the deception. They then prepared a trap and in Lobar's possession were marked bills to the amount of $30 which are alleged to have been paid to him by Benjamin Shea, for whom he agreed to take the examination. In case of passing, Shea contracted to pay $70 more. Neither of the young men would discuss the position in which their enterprise has gotten them. These two youths, if they are guilty of the charges entered against them, are but examples of the various ways there are to get the money in New York.

A well-known Broadwayite who never seems to work and who always appears to be in funds, said the other night: "No man need be broke in New York. There are barrels of money floating around, and all that is necessary is for you to go out and gather it in. It isn't always easy money, but it is a mighty sight easier than earning it." This chap would not tell secrets, however. It might not be safe, and at least would be injudicious.

Women's New Way of Earning Money.

There is a resourceful young woman in the city who has hit upon an idea that is new, and she is winning good money thereby. A few days ago she advertised she would go flat hunting for a consideration. A reporter found her today, and she said she was as busy as she could be. The longer she is in the business the easier it will be for her, of course, as she will soon know where the desirable places are to be found and will also know all about the prices, and whether they will fit the purse of her customer. Anyone who has gone house hunting in New York or any other city, in fact, will understand how welcome will be the opportunity of handing the job over to a competent young woman. The question of finding suitable apartments here is decidedly a burning one, and it is a good month's job for a stranger to get just what is wanted. Therefore, it is easy to see that this particular woman has picked out a profession that will keep the wolf from her door

He Knows All About It.

George C. Jenks is the busiest man along Broadway these days, and yet he finds time to do a lot of literary work. He is just now putting on two vandeville sketches, one of which is to have its try-out at Pastor's on Friday, is dramatic critic of the Broadway Magazine, and is publicity promoter for fully half a dozen well known stage people. Therefore, it was a surprise to his friends to find his name attached to an essay in the Bookman this month on "Dime Novel Makers." Those who know Mr. Jenks will be sure the essay is not only entertaining, but that he knows his facts. Col. Prentiss Ingraham gets credit for producing more dime novels than any other man, but if that is true, Mr. Jenks is a close second. It was his winter evenings' amusement for many years to produce this exciting reading. He declares the original dime novel—the sort he wrote himself—was just the sort of stuff a boy should read, and it would not start him on the warpath, either.

Mayor McClellan's Move Next.

It is now in the power of Mayor McClellan to say whether New York shall have 400 more policemen. The board of aldermen has passed an ordinance appropriating $160,000 for this purpose, and the plan has been approved by the board of estimates. All that is required is the signature of the mayor, and it is believed he will not hesitate. Surely the police are needed. Commissioner McAdoo says he cannot control the criminal element of the city with his present force, and certainly there has been a genuine carnival of crime the past few weeks. The commissioner has proved he can do at least one thing, and that is regulate the speed of automobiles. A few days ago he ordered that every chauffeur who exceeded the speed limit should be gathered in. The result is pedestrians can cross the street with almost a feeling of safety.

Now He Will Oversleep.

Peter Josten has lost his alarm clock, and the state game warden is responsible. Josten kept several bobolinks in captivity. The law says he shouldn't. This state of affairs was discovered this morning and Josten was arrested. He told the magistrate if his bobolinks were taken from him he would lose his alarm clock. "Eight years ago, with infinite patience," he told the court, "I succeeded in training one of the birds to call me at a certain hour and it never fails. I always get up good natured and happy, with the song of the bird in my ears," he said. The magistrate appreciated the tale, but held Josten under bond, nevertheless. The birds were taken by the game warden.

Nerve of the Man-Child.

The boy becomes a man sooner in a great city, where he is largely thrown upon his own resources, than anywhere else. An illustration of this fact was given this morning by John Gessler, aged 15, when he was run over by a street car and both legs were so crushed that amputation was necessary. "It was all my fault," he told the policeman who arrested the motorman. "I was stealing a ride and fell."

Royal Emblems Surround Judge Parker.

Judge Parker is in town again. This time he is stopping at the Hotel Seville. As the judge entered the marble lined office of the Seville he faced imperialistic decorations on all sides. Above the elevator which he took to his rooms shone resplendent the royal crest of Seville, consisting of a kingly crown, and the legend underneath: "Virtus laudem imperat." Turning to the office desk the judge faced a large panel beautifully painted on the wall containing a representation of the royal coat of arms of Seville. This emblem shows one of the kings of Spain sitting in royal state on a magnificent throne, wearing a crown and attended on either hand by bishops with miters and crosiers. Above the coat of arms is the crest, and underneath the same legend, "Virtus laudem imperat."

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

Waldorf-Astoria.
J. R. McGinley,
C. C. Smith,
H. C. Frick,
W. P. Snyder.

Holland.
Mrs. J. A. Miller,
F. B. Smith,
Mrs. E. Miller,
R. F. Griffith,
R. Pollard,
J. H. Hammond,
J. R. Speer.

Astor.
W. Campbell, Jr.,
Mrs. S. Leach,
C. E. E. Shelders.

Imperial.
H. T. Fronenheim,
Miss M. Fronenheim.

Manhattan.
F. H. Turner,
J. H. Reed,
J. C. Bennett.

Broadway Central.
C. S. McCandless,
M. Silverblatt,
J. J. Porter,
F. L. Gullett.

Astor House.
C. H. Peters,
Mrs. C. H. Peters,
R. G. Anderson,
O. L. Schlumpf.

Grand.
H. Hall.

Hoffman.
N. Spear,
J. R. Pitcairn,
J. Bibro.

Murray Hill.
G. W. Bailey,
J. M. Burrell,
W. Daudo.

St. Denis.
D. B. Bell.

St. George.
T. A. Cleland.

Wolcott.
Miss Childs.

Westminster.
Miss Fowler.

Wellington.
W. R. N. Becker.

Vendome.
H. J. Hendricks,
Mrs. H. J. Hendricks.

New Amsterdam.
G. R. Jones.

Herald Square.
R. C. Hall.

Cosmopolitan.
C. Adams,
Mrs. C. Adams.

Continental.
R. L. Jenkins.

Fifth Avenue.
W. S. Huselton,
Miss P. Donnelly.

To Decide What Is Contraband.

We have dwelt once more upon this question of conditionally contraband in order to demonstrate the extreme importance of having the distinction between absolutely and conditionally contraband articles embodied in a general agreement to be reached at the second peace conference which President Roosevelt has wisely recognized the expediency of convoking.—New York Sun.

The Quiet Observer

By ERASMUS WILSON.

Why don't the men propose, mamma,
Why don't the men propose?
Each seems just coming to the point
And then away he goes.
—A Maiden's Lament.

And it isn't all a joke, although it was perpetrated as such.

There are a whole lot of women, young, old and middling, who are asking this question daily. They may not use these same words exactly, but words to the same effect.

And why not ask it when it is the all-important question—all important because it involves the mission of women in this life?

Some women don't believe this, or profess not to believe it, but up to present date they have failed to produce the documents designating any duties for her other than serving as a helpmate to man.

Helpmate signifies one who is on a social equality with man, and not a servant or dependent. Mates, as you know, must be practically equal, otherwise they are mismates.

That oft repeated fling by unmated men that woman was an after-thought of the Creator, is pure nonsense. Everything could not be done at one time and in proper form.

But suppose it was an after-thought that gave Adam a helpmate, it wasn't half bad.

O woman! lovely woman! Nature made thee
To temper man: we had been brutes without you.
—Thomas Otway.

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And why don't the men propose?

Why should they unless the proposition should be worth while?

Men are under no obligations to propose marriage until they meet women who are worthy, and whom they are satisfied will form congenial mates and practical helpmates.

From this it would appear that it is not always, in fact hardly ever, the fault of the men that they do not propose.

In short, they would propose if they could find women to whom it were worth while proposing.

This reads rough and it may grate harshly on the feelings of some women who are patiently, or maybe impatiently, waiting for proposals. But the truth must be told sometimes, even if it isn't altogether agreeable.

Now that the cat is out of the bag, as the saying goes, we may proceed to discuss the matter freely and with clear understanding.

Too often in the consideration of social topics we studiously avoid, or try to suppress, the more important facts simply because they are disagreeable or unpopular.

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While it is not necessary to tell the truth, and the whole truth at all times, it is neither proper nor profitable to suppress it at all times merely because it is not altogether agreeable.

You may have suppressed or tried to suppress facts in your own life because they were unpleasant or not in accord with your plans. If so, you have probably learned that facts will not be entirely suppressed, but persist in asserting themselves by bobbing up when least desired or expected.

The girl who tries to ignore the fact that her mission in life is to become a helpmate for a man, or to suppress the other fact that she must prepare herself for this mission, surely will suffer for it, and sorely, for life will be a disappointment at every turn, and the turns are endless.

The mother who neglects to acquaint her daughters with the phases and conditions of life through which every true wife and mother must pass neglects the most important of the many duties that heaven has imposed upon her.

The daughters of such mothers are almost certain to find life a disappointment, and be driven to the conclusion that happiness is a myth, something to be talked and sung and rhymed about rather than to be enjoyed.

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A sensible man will not propose to any woman whom he does not believe, at least, will be to him a helpmate as well as a companion.

A great majority of failures in marriage are due to the fact that those to whom men propose, and are accepted, are not fitted to become helpmates nor even agreeable, untiresome companions.

Are you fitted to become a helpmate to a good and sensible man? Are you prepared to assume the cares of married life and to bear the responsibilities it brings? Have you been taught what it is to be a wife and a mother, and are you fortified against reverses such as are liable to occur in the life of any man, no matter how well he may be fixed in business? Are you so well grounded in domestic science and culinary arts that in case of a serious reverse you can dispense with cooks, maids and attendants?

If you are not thus prepared for the womanly mission, how can you reasonably expect a sensible, practical man to propose to you? Wouldn't you feel that you were quite unequally yoked were you to marry a good man who was nobly fighting the battle of life?

A wife who is not a helpmate is a burden to any man, whether a day laborer or a capitalist with millions at his command.

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Women are not all to blame for the men not proposing, nor for all the marriage failures, not by a long sight.

There are men who are as unfit to marry as any woman dare be, and as a rule these are the most anxious to plunge into the sea of matrimony, just as the boy who can't swim a stroke is most anxious to plunge into deep water.

This peculiar trait in mankind is commonly known as human perversity.

We hear a lot of complaining because more people do not marry, and that in full view of the fact that a whole lot more marry than are fit to do so.

There is no more useful life than married life, and no more heavenly life on earth, provided the marriage is one in which God hath joined the twain and made them one.

There are matches galore that were not made in heaven, and marriages that God hath not sanctioned.

Are you fit to marry?

Think it over seriously and see if you can satisfy yourself that you are fitted to become a helpmate to an honest, industrious, enterprising man who has his fortune to make.

Army Officer Fortune Hunters.

The officers of the army must, should the Corbin recommendations be approved, turn themselves into fortune hunters. This is the rule in the German army where the kaiser exercises paternal and restraining influence upon his officers. It is the rule in some others of the European armies. Is the American army to be Europeanized in this precious way?—Atlanta Constitution.

The Negro Issue.

All that the negro issue will do in the canvass of 1904 is to make the north a little more solid for the Republican side than it would otherwise be. Every shout against the fourteenth amendment which is emitted by Democratic politicians adds to the Republican vote in New York, New Jersey, Connecticut, Indiana and the other states of the north and west.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

IT IS TO SMILE.

She—Let you kiss me! Why, I've known you only two days.

He—True, but I was afraid you wouldn't allow it if you knew me better.—Smart Set.

Trampus—Ah, lady you might not think it, but once I had only to collect my rents and go my way.

The Lady—That's all I want you to do now!—Baltimore American.

Broadway—I have just spent two weeks at a summer resort.

Manhattan—Sorry, old chap, but I can't lend you any money today.—Town Topics.

Mrs. Riley—So ye can't shlape noights, Mrs. Flynn—and phat hov yez tried for it?

Mrs. Flynn—Soothing syrup an' spanking!—Puck.

"There!" said Mr. Jenks, stopping suddenly, "I was going to get that piece of silk for my wife and I forgot all about it until now. Never mind," he continued, starting on again, "I'll get it when I get home, all right."—Somerville Journal.

Eggs have their faults, but at any rate they are never too fresh.—Philadelphia Record.

Gracie—Oh! Stealing jam! I'm going to tell mamma!

Freddy—Wouldn't you rather have some jam?—Harper's Bazar.

A Russian Nelson

FRED T. JANE.

Admiral Robert Wiren, to whom the comm... of the remnant of the Russian fleet at Port ...thur has now been entrusted, is one of the ... remarkable men of his own or any other na... for hundreds of Russian bluejackets believe t... he is Nelson born again as a Russian. ... thousands of others who draw the line at ... are convinced that he is a man with a desti...

In person he is short and spare of build, with ... slight wiry mustache and light curly hair ... turning gray. His eyes are perhaps his mo... remarkable feature, quizzical blue eyes th... laugh gently, but which upon occasion can co... the most mutinous sailor into childlike fait... and obedience. Personal magnetism is his to an... extraordinary degree—the gift of making men believe in him and trust him. If any man can extricate the Russian fleet from its plight and peril, Admiral Wiren, till lately junior captain in the Russian navy, is the man to do it. The odds against him are enormous, the material at command hopelessly inadequate, but the Russians will have in him a leader that all trust.

A Great Naval Captain.

During the war his name has been before the public continually as captain of the cruiser Bayan, the one Russian ship that has steadily distinguished herself, the one ship that was ready when the war came.

Though idolized by his men, Admiral Wiren was by no means a popular figure with his brother officers in the Russian navy till the war came along. "Murderers preferred" was his nickname in Russian ward rooms, a title bestowed upon him because he applied to the admiralty for the bad lots of the fleet to be sent him. In the Bayan he had the choicest possible collection of scoundrels and cut throats whom he had transformed into smart, self-respecting bluejackets, whose highest ideal of reward was to row in the captain's boat. With these he visited Portsmouth a little before the war. Eighty men were given leave on a Sunday, when only public houses were open, and not one single man of them broke leave or got drunk. Their captain had told them that "the honor of the Bayan" was in their keeping, and—that was enough. But incidents of this sort did not endear him to jealous mediocrities.

Chosen by the Captains.

To the lasting credit of the Russian fleet it should, however, be stated that after the early disasters the captains at Port Arthur themselves proposed that Robert Wiren should be their admiral; an act of self-sacrifice that must go far to discount all the tales of inefficiency that we have been told. This sacrifice of chances of distinction for the sake of a promising junior is almost, if not quite, unique in the history of the world. Now, at the eleventh hour, Rear Admiral Wiren flies his flag at Port Arthur, and, be the issue what it may, Togo is matched by an antagonist equal to himself in all save ships.

Anecdotes of Admiral Wiren are innumerable in the Russian navy. The most remarkable, however, is an incident of his early life. I can vouch for its truth, for he told it to me himself. He was then a cadet in the Peter Veliky, and went away in a boat. Three miles from the ship the boat upset in a squall. It was night, and the boat was not expected back for some hours, so that rescue was practically out of the question. On board the Peter Veliky, however, a brother officer was suddenly seized with the idea that Wiren was in danger, and on his own responsibility he lowered a boat and started to look for him. By providence or chance he, working blindly in the darkness, came upon the capsized pinnace with Wiren, the sole survivor, clinging to it in the last stage of exhaustion. Little wonder that, in the hour of defeat, Russians remember this incident and see in it some destiny at work.

Later on Wiren quelled a mutiny single-handed, and during the last few years has been the right hand man of the Grand Duke Alexander in the fight for efficiency. That that fight was but partially successful we well know now, but no inefficient officer ever served under Capt. Wiren. "Work or go," was his rule, and to the easy-going shirker he was merciless. With his men he was the same. No man who tried to do his work was ever punished by him, no matter how stupid he might have been, but an idler never idled more than once.

Destroyed Japanese Ship.

To Admiral Wiren is attributed the destruction of the Japanese battleship Hatsuse; not, however, by floating mines, but by torpedoes so altered as to greatly increase their range. He is a torpedo specialist, and is likely to make use of that weapon in the early future when the Russian fleet makes its forlorn hope. And whatever the issue of the coming fight, of one thing I am sure, that previous battles will be child's play to it, for it will be a desperate death or victory combat. Admiral Wiren has no ideas of the middle course, for he is the Skobeleff type of Russian. All that the great Skobeleff was, he is.

More I might write, but where a close personal friend is the subject one fears to give too free a rein to enthusiastic appreciation, lest one may seem to color judgment with affection. But if the Japanese shell spare him it will not be long ere the eyes of the world are focused upon "the little captain," in whose hands are the destinies of Russia and, in a sense, of the whole world. For should Admiral Wiren beat Togo the invasion of Manchuria will fall to the ground like a pack of cards.

It is a labor of Hercules, a forlorn hope in every sense, but the only man who could possibly accomplish it is essaying the task.—London Chronicle.

Pittsburghers at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 27.(—Special.)—The following Pittsburgh people are registered at the leading St. Louis hotels:

Buckingham.
J. D. Callery
Mrs. Callery,
Dawson Callery.

Epworth.
Miss May Williams,
Miss Williams.

Jefferson.
Mrs. Thomas C. Jenkins,
Miss Gerdes.

Hamilton.
U. H. Meyers.

Southern.
James B. Arthur.

Planters.
William R. Hamilton,

Lindell.
H. E. Hobl.

Yielded Only to War.

Yesterday, the 25th of September, 1904, was the day we should have celebrated had that memorable date fallen on any other than the first day of the week, the Christian Sabbath. For September 25, 1904, was the centennial of the last normally adopted amendment to the Constitution of the United States, the grand charter of this republic. In other words, that immortal work of our immortal ancestors has for a hundred years successfully resisted a continued succession of effort to change its text, and has in that time yielded only to the results of war.—Washington Post.

Children of the Divorced.

A manager of the Morganza reformatory near Pittsburgh says that "a large majority" of the children committed there have step-parents, that he believes their commitments are due to the efforts of step-parents to get rid of them. How much more unfortunate must be the child who is orphaned by easy divorce, and whose very features convey to his guardians, at heart uncertain of their social and moral status, a daily reminder of the still living wife or husband! Advocates of easy divorce and "freedom" forget the child.—New York World.

Not Need, but Possibility.

The czar has ordered the formation of a second army in East Asia, which, it is reasonably assumed, is to double the numbers and strength of his forces in that region. The plan is a commendable one if Russia is to fight the war out, for nothing is more evident than that at present the czar's army there is greatly outnumbered by the mikado's. The question, then, concerns not the need of another army nor the wisdom of sending it, but rather the possibility of sending it and maintaining it.—New York Tribune.

Antithesis to President's Letter.

We could apply the term "judicial" to the letter, as we did to the speech at Esopus, but it would be incomplete without the addition that very few judges could attain to such a dispassionate performance under the circumstances. There is hardly any response to the partisan demand for a more intensely aggressive leadership, and the antithesis that is this presented to the president's letter is remarkable.—Chicago Record-Herald.

After Adulterated Milk Dealers.

Philadelphia and Pittsburgh are both after the milk dealers who use preservatives in their milk and cream. There are a number of them who seem to have profited very little by the heavy fines that have been imposed for the offense by the pure food commissioners.—Oil City Derrick.

VARMLY DEFENDS THE KONGO STATE

Englishman, Who Is in the City, Sent Out by Belgians to Offset Atrocity Charges.

SAYS GOVERNMENT IS JUST

To prove false the constantly recurring charges of cruelty against the natives of the Kongo Free State, Africa, and to defend the administration of that government, is the purpose of a series of lectures in this country by George Herbert Head, a bachelor of arts of Cambridge university and a distinguished authority on African matters. The interest in this country is large, because the United States first recognized the state.

Mr. Head, who is to speak at Old City hall tomorrow evening, has already reached the city and is stopping at the Schenley. He is thoroughly versed in his subject and indignantly refutes the charges. A cablegram to The Gazette from London, published on Monday, on the subject, attracted his attention and called forth from him the following statement:

"It will be noticed by those informed on Kongo Free State matters, that Monday's cablegram dates from London. I regret to say that a few English people are trying to stir up a great agitation against the Kongo Free State. Their efforts are not restricted to England, for the same set of folks are at work on sentiment in this country.

"It should be remembered that in talking of the Kongo we are discussing a country with an area of 1,000,000 square miles, which has been under the sway of the present administration only 20 years. There is no doubt, whatever, that in the early days of the administration acts of cruelty were sometimes committed by white men on negroes, but as the country has been organized and as railways have made supervision possible, such acts have been sternly repressed and now everything is done to safeguard the interests of the natives.

"The worth of the charges can be summed up in the reception of a challenge which was publicly made in behalf of the Free State in London. The challenge was issued to the 'atrocity party,' as the agitators are called, and was this:

"'If you can bring to the notice of the state a single instance that has occurred during the past six years of cruelty by a white man to a native which has come to the notice of the state, it can be shown that such act was punished. If it is now brought to the notice of the state for the first time, investigation will be made and the accused punished, if guilty; if not, the accused will bring an action in the English law courts and the accuser will have to be defendant.'

"The result is that there has been a more remarkable vagueness than ever in the 'atrocity' statements. Their falsity was established beyond doubt.

"I have been sent out by a Belgian society formed for the defense of the Kongo to lecture in the United States and show how malicious the statements are. I have already lectured in Chicago and St. Louis and shall speak here Thursday. Then I go to Brooklyn, where I make an address on October 3. The next day I am to speak at the Waldorf-Astoria and finally at Boston, on October 6. I am showing that the entire agitation is fomented by those who have personal reasons to dislike the Kongo administration."

TO HOLD JOINT REUNION.

Survivors of One Hundred and First and One Hundred and Third Regiments Will Meet Together.

The One Hundred and First and the One Hundred and Third regiments, Pennsylvania volunteer infantry, will hold their annual reunion together tomorrow in Union Veteran Legion hall. The two commands were organized in Western Pennsylvania and were closely associated throughout the war. They marched off together in 1861, fought in the same brigade in the Army of the Potomac and were captured in the same unfortunate fight, many of them being comrades in southern prisons. Since the war they have usually held their annual gatherings jointly. Although 3,000 men were enlisted in the two organizations, their losses were so heavy that it will be considered a good attendance if 70 survivors attend the reunion.

A business meeting will be held in the afternoon and in the evening the old soldiers will go to the exposition. B. H. Scott of Allegheny is president of the organization, H. M. Johnston of Wilkinsburg is secretary for the One Hundred and First and T. J. McKee of Allegheny for the One Hundred and Third.

No Raids on Gambling Houses.

No raids were made yesterday on the six gambling establishments reported to Director Moore by Police Inspector Kennelly. The director refused to discuss the case, saying the matter had been threshed over until there was no more to be said about it.

POSTOFFICE OFFICIALS INVESTIGATING LEASES

Preferred Mercantile Company of Boston Under Fire—Local Officer Explains.

George E. Stillings, Guy C. Stillings and J. Franklin Knisely, president, secretary and manager, respectively, of the Preferred Mercantile Company of Boston, were each held in $2,000 bail there on Monday charged with using the mails to defraud. The firm has offices in the Park building, and Arthur K. Sykes, Pennsylvania representative, has quarters here.

Postmaster George L. Holliday received notice not to deliver any mail or pay money orders to Sykes soon after an investigation of the company was instituted last April. Sykes stated yesterday that the firm has not been using the mails lately, and that all business has been carried on through express companies. Postoffice Inspector Frank A. O'Brien stated last evening that the investigation is being confined to the office of the home company in Boston and that he has nothing to do with the matter.

It is alleged by the government the company has violated the lottery laws by disposing of diamonds by chance methods. Mr. Sykes says there is no lottery feature in the operation of the business, which is established in principal cities, including Boston, Pittsburgh, Chicago, Buffalo, Detroit, Cleveland, St. Louis and Philadelphia.

According to Mr. Sykes, the company makes a business of selling leases on diamonds, which leases may be paid for at a stipulated rate weekly. So soon as all payments are made the diamonds are turned over. The oldest lease holder in a stated territory may take over the face of the lease in cash or the diamond; he may also hold the lease as a "paid-up policy" in a manner resembling insurance company plans.

The company was founded in 1900 and incorporated with a capital of $100,000. Its last monthly statement shows $436,841 disbursed and paid to patrons and $414,915 paid during July.

It is said that hundreds of Pittsburghers are numbered among the customers of the company. Mr. Sykes says the business will be continued here as usual.

"I FAVOR THE MOVEMENT, BUT DEPLORE METHODS"

The Rev. Dr. Thorp Makes Statement on Blue Law Crusade for His Ministerial Association.

"I want to go on record as favoring the Sunday newspaper. It is a part of our great civil government. It's the greatest medium we can get before the people. Those who drop out information for a day never catch up," announced the Rev. Dr. Wallace Tharp, under direction of the Christian Ministerial association to make a public statement, voicing the sentiments of the association on the Sunday observance crusade and the attack upon it by Samuel Harden Church.

"I am in sympathy with the association," continued Dr. Tharp, "but deplore the methods employed. I don't believe in going about the streets picking up the dust where dead dogs and cats have lain in order to purify the atmosphere. I am for steam cars and Sunday street cars and am in favor of allowing a man to buy a glass of soda water, a dish of ice cream or a toby or cigar on Sunday if he wants to do so. I believe it is no crime to do so."

Dr. Tharp expressed himself as opposed to general trafficking on Sunday. He reviewed the expressions of the clergymen of his ministerial association in which Mr. Church is held to be in error in drawing some of his conclusions, and closed by announcing that "the further work of the association will more clearly demonstrate its necessity and right of existence."

"Many ministers have expressed to me their willingness to see the old laws repealed, but are fearful of expressing their views publicly," announced the Rev. John A. Jayne yesterday. "What we need in the Sabbath Observance association are broader views and different methods of procedure. It looks to me like an attempt to force Presbyterianism into free Western Pennsylvania. There are too many ministers who think they must pose as reformers to maintain their ministerial standing. When the proposition was offered to the Christian Ministerial association for support I was the only minister to oppose its adoption."

The Rev. Dr. William O. Campbell of the Sewickley Presbyterian church, who was a member of the advisory committee of the Allegheny County Sabbath association, has declined to serve because of the methods employed by the association.

Sympathized With the Mule.

Indignant citizens halted a mule driven by Michael Stawcki of Twenty-ninth street and Penn avenue at Grant street and Fourth avenue yesterday morning and refused to allow the man to drive on until the Humane society was notified to examine the animal, which looked like an animated skeleton. Humane Agent W. G. Stanley ordered the animal killed.

BUCKEYE STATE WILL BE INVADED

M. & M. Association Completes Arrangements for Trade Excursion.

WILL MAKE A 900-MILE LOOP

Entering Ohio at Steubenville and leaving it at East Liverpool, with a 900-mile loop through the southern half of the state, members of the Merchants and Manufacturers association will next month preach the gospel of Pittsburgh trade. They will spend a week in the cause, traveling in the finest style and equipped to extend hospitality to the hundreds of patrons and friends they expect to meet. Throughout the rich and prosperous section which they will visit they plan to leave books on Pittsburgh and souvenirs of their trip.

The party will leave Pittsburgh on Monday morning, October 17, about 8 o'clock and reach the city on the return about 2 p. m., Saturday, October 22. The route starting will be over the Panhandle from the Union station, and traveling over the Pennsylvania lines, the Baltimore & Ohio, the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton, the Norfolk & Western, the Cincinnati & Muskingum Valley, the Hocking Valley and the Ohio Central, will visit the following cities: Steubenville, Cadiz, Jewett, Scio, Bowerston, Dennison, Uhrichsville, New Philadelphia, Canal Dover, Newcomerstown, Coshocton, Newark, London, Xenia, Washington C. H., Chillicothe, Circleville, Lancaster, Logan, Jackson, Wellston, Gallipolis, Pomeroy, Athens, New Lexington, Zanesville, Cambridge, Barnesville, Bellaire, Wellsville and East Liverpool.

As on the trip to West Virginia, the train will be made up of Pullman equipment with a section for each member of the party. A dining car will be carried throughout the trip, so that all sleeping and eating accommodations are provided on the train. Several commercial bodies in the various cities have already extended invitations to the association to accept hospitality at their hands, and some of these, at least, are so arranged as to enable the Pittsburghers to take advantage of the kindness.

This tour is not the only one contemplated for Ohio. The size of the state and the large number of big towns and cities allow but a fraction of the territory to be covered in one week. Later two or three other tours, reaching other sections, are to be arranged.

The association has made arrangements also for a social meeting to be held at the Union club on the evening of October 4. This will be like that held early in the summer, and is intended more for the furthering of acquaintance within the ranks of the association than for business purposes.

Aged Woman Saved Boy's Life.

After extinguishing flames which were consuming the clothing of John Durkin, aged 4, of 112 Fourth street, Beltzhoover, by throwing her shawl about him, an aged woman fainted. Neighbors carried the boy to his home, while others revived the woman, who declined to give her name and then went on her way. The Durkin boy was playing around a bonfire and the woman passed just as his clothing caught. The boy will recover.

DIED.

ANDERSON—On Monday, September 26, 1904, at Allegheny General hospital, MRS. MARY ANDERSON, wife of Oliver Anderson, No. 37 Dawson avenue, Bellevue, aged 66 years.

Funeral services Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private.

BROWNHILL—On Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock, JOHN THOMAS BROWNHILL, only child of Harry and Annie Brownhill (nee Kendrick), aged 10 years, 2 months and 10 days, of membraneous croup.

Funeral services at family residence, No. 127 Freeland street, Wednesday, September 27 at 2 p. m.

FLEMING—On Monday, September 26, 1904, at 4:30 a. m., EDNA CORINNE, wife of Capt. L. K. Fleming and daughter of W. M. Fellabon, in her 30th year.

Funeral services at her parents' residence, Baldwin street, Hays Station, on Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

KILGORE—On Tuesday, September 27, 1904, at 12:05 a. m., JESSE B. KILGORE, in his 71st year.

Funeral services at his late residence, Blairsville, Pa., Wednesday, September 28, at 2:30 p. m. Interment Thursday in Uniondale cemetery, Allegheny City, on arrival at Federal street station of the 10:30 a. m., train from Blairsville. Services concluded at the cemetery. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

KIRK—Entered into rest on Monday, September 26, 1904, at 8:30 p. m., ARTHUR KIRK, in his 50th year.

Funeral services at his late residence, 1517 South Canal street, Sharpsburg, Pa., on Wednesday, at 2 p. m. Friends kindly omit flowers.

MAFFETT—On Monday, September 26, 1904, at 9:30 p. m., at her residence, 707 Duquesne way, MISS SARAH MAFFETT.

Funeral services at the chapel of H. Samson, Sixth avenue, this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

MORLEY—On Monday evening, September 26, 1904, at 11:20 o'clock, NORA E. MORLEY, wife of Charles W. Morley, in her 47th year.

Funeral from her late residence, 91 Carbon alley on Wednesday, September 28, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

M'QUITTY—On Tuesday, September 27, 1904, at 12:45 p. m., MARTHA M'QUITTY, (nee Crawford), in her 79th year.

Funeral services from the residence of her son-in-law, Robert Moore, 530 Washington avenue, Carnegie, on Friday, September 30, at 12:00 m. Interment private.

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Marked Decline in Production in the Deep Sand Territory

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On the east side of the Folsom district, Harrison county, the South Penn Oil Company's No. 3 on the Mary Moore farm has developed into a very satisfactory producer. When first drilled into the Gordon pay it did not show for anything better than a light well, but has increased its production to 140 barrels a day. Southwest of Mannington, near the Marion-Harrison county line, the South Penn has drilled its test on the M. A. Atlas farm through the 50-foot and has a very heavy gasser. In the Pine Grove extension, Wetzel county, the South Penn has drilled its No. 10 on the J. R. Pitman farm into the stray and has a show for a 25-barrel producer. In the same district T. A. Shuman's No. 3 has been drilled through the Gordon and will not make better than a 5-barrel pumper in that formation.

Two miles west of Middlebourne, Tyler county, Bartlett & Riddle have drilled their test on the Madaline Williamson farm into the Keener and have a show for a 7 or 8-barrel pumper. This test is a considerable distance in advance of any production South of Smithfield, Wetzel county, the South Penn has drilled its No. 3 on the Isaac Hogue farm 75 feet into the Big Injun and has found no oil or gas.

In the Yellow Creek district, the most active in the lower southwest fields, a number of new wells have been drilled into the sand. Murphy Bros. & Co. have completed their No. 8 on the Robert Smith farm and have a show for a natural producer, good for 35 barrels a day in the Berea grit. The Lowther Oil Company has completed its test on the S. R. Saunders farm and has a show for a 20-barrel producer. This is in advance of developments, 660 feet southwest of the same company's No. 2 on the Thomas K. Ferrell farm. The Townsell Oil Company has given its No. 7 on the A. C. Fisher farm a shot in the Berea grit and it produced 129 barrels the ensuing 24 hours. In the northeast end of the development the South Penn has shot its No. 2 on the R. E. Gardner farm and increased its production, making the aggregate of the three wells on this farm 208 barrels a day. The Eastern Oil Company has drilled its No. 4 on the S. L. Klipatein farm through the Berea grit and has a show for a 50 or 60-barrel producer. Leonard, Carr & Gilmore's No. 1 on the Malinda Richards farm stopped flowing on account of a leak in the casing and has been put to pumping. It is now producing 100 barrels a day.

Near Burton, on Churches run, Wetzel county, the Philadelphia Company's No. 2 on the Sarah Anderson farm, which came in at 30 barrels an hour last week, has fallen down. The production as shown by the last 24 hours' gauge was 24 barrels. The old No. 1 on this farm is still holding up at 65 barrels a day.

On the Ohio side, in the Hays Run district, Washington county, Tibbens & Withington have completed their No. 4 on the Joseph Chapman farm and have a show for a 35-barrel pumper in the Big Injun sand. In the Wolf Creek district E. Bowman has completed his No. 8 on the A. J. & M. B. Wagner farm and has a show for a very light pumper. The Wolf Creek Oil Company has completed its No. 6 on the Priscilla Fay farm and has a 2-barrel pumper. Hafer & Co. have completed their No. 17 on the Harvey Pugh farm and have a duster. The Hastings Oil Company and the South Petroleum Company have completed their No. 16 on the G. E. Morris farm and have a 100-barrel producer. In the same district Pierpont & Co. have completed a test on the John Blind farm and have a duster. In the Joy district, Morgan county, the Nassau & Preston Oil Company have completed their No. 5 on the J. N. Pitcher farm and the well produced 50 barrels the first 12 hours. D. A. Cameron & Sons have completed their Nos. 7 and 8 on the O. B. Sloan farm and both are dusters. The same parties have completed No. 9 on the same farm and have a show for a 25-barrel producer.

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Daily avg.	74,785	Daily avg.	72,420

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SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
Sept. 26	57,507	Sept. 25	16,522
Previously	1,775,652	Previously	1,431,500
Total	1,833,159	Total	1,448,022
Daily avg.	70,506	Daily avg.	57,921

The Oil Market.

The Standard quotes credit balances in the several fields as follows:

Pennsylvania, $1 56; Tiona, $1 71; Corning, $1 53; New Castle, $1 43; North Lima, $1 05; South Lima, $1 00; Indiana, $1 00; Somerset, $1 01; Reglado, 1862; Canada, $1 54.

The Producers and Refiners Oil Company quotes Pennsylvania crude at $1 56.

OIL CITY, Sept. 27.—Credit balances, $1 56; certificates, no bid. Shipments, Pennsylvania, 116,367 bbls.; average, 74,785 bbls.; runs, 38,259 bbls., average, 72,420 bbls. Shipments, Lima, 57,507 bbls.; average, 70,506 bbls.; runs, 16,522 bbls.; average, 57,921 bbls.

Autumn Millinery
On show this week—exclusive designs—
Especially choice showing of moderate-priced hats and turbans for street wear,
$10, $12 and $15.
Beautiful effects for dress occasions.
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Arrange to meet your friends in the rest rooms, second floor.

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TODAY
Sale of one case genuine $1.00 Imported Tailorings, 44 inches wide, at 50c—neat group stripes—light weight, but fine firm solid textures—wearing qualities beyond many goods at three times the price.
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LININGS
50 pieces fine 36-inch Mercerized Satine, 15c a yard—colors and black—an attractive offering to those who want petticoat and coat lining material.
New Moreens for drop skirts and jacket linings, 20c—colors and Black—there's saving in—and usefui goods.
Yard wide liberty finish satin—beautiful goods for coat linings—Navy, Tan, Castor, Covert, Brown, Cardinal, Myrtle, Grey, Ivory and Black, 75c a yard.
Yama Mai—the best and lowest priced "guaranteed to wear" lining silk we know of—sixty shades—19 inches wide—37½c a yard.

B. & B.
BOYS' CLOTHING
We are fortunate enough to enjoy a very large high grade Clothing business—men's and boys'.
A good many young fellows have been coming here for Clothing since they were youngsters.
We want the boys to get satisfactory Clothing—material, style, fit and price—so they'll come to us afterward, as they grow up.
We ask attention to some lines of boys' clothing that will prove we're sincere.
All-Wool Brown Serge Russian Blouse Suits with silk bow, two rows brass or pearl buttons, patent leather belt, white linen Eton Collar, for boys 2½ to 6 years, $3.50.
Fifty other styles up to $18.50.—Serges, Cheviots, Velvets, Corduroys, etc.
Boys' 3 to 10 Sailor Blouse Suits—regular or Bloomer trousers, $5.00 to $10.00.
Boys' Fall Reefers, $3.50 to $10.00.
Boys' Fall Top Coats, $5.00 to $15.00.
Boys' Rain Coats, $10.00 to $20.00.
BOGGS & BUHL, Allegheny.

B. & B.
Complete new assortments Boys' Clothing, 2½ to 16 years.
Young Chaps—15 and more—are offered smart single and double-breasted Suits with Peg top trousers at $8.50 to $30.00 that they'll approve—all details strictly correct.
Young Chaps' peg top Pants—full thigh—$2.75 to $7.50.

B. & B.
SPECIAL
Today in the Girls' Clothing Department opportunity will be afforded to get fine Blue Cheviot Coats, full regulation trimmed—emblem, eagle, bars and chevrons, $5.00—lined with plain Red or Grey Plaid Flannel.
These Coats are worth Ten Dollars just as easily as it's possible to put Ten Dollars worth of merit in a coat — but were bought at a price because of unforseen business disturbances which upset the maker's calculations.
96 Coats in the lot—plenty in all sizes from 4 to 14 years.

B. & B.
SALE MEN'S NECKWEAR
This is to be a real-for-sure extraordinary sale of stylish silk and satin 4-in-hand ties.
They're the extra large wide kinds men so unanimously favor this Fall and come in an immense variety of pretty effects—all colors.
Sale price, 50c.

Large advance showing fall Shirts—$1.00, $1.50 and $2.00.
Specially pretty lines for $1.50—plain and pleated bosoms—cuffs separate and attached.
Lot exceptionally pretty Percale Shirts, $1.00—exquisite colorings — White grounds with fancy stripes and figures—open back—separate cuffs.

Get your Collars to fit—get quarter sizes.
Made for men who are a size midway between the regular sizes now in vogue—2 for 25c.

Fall Underwear, Sleeping Garments, Hosiery, Shoes, Suspenders, Neckwear, etc., at less prices.
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Next Week—The Rays in "Down the Pike."

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EVERY MAT. DAILY
THIS WEEK. CRACKER JACKS BURLESQUERS

JOHN M. RHEY MAY BE NAMED

He Is Looked Upon as a Probable Successor of Chief Clerk Smiley in the Senate.

REGISTRY LIST IS GROWING

John M. Rhey of Carlisle is a candidate for chief clerk of the senate, an office made vacant by the death of E. W. Smiley of Franklin. From present indications the Cumberland county man will be successful in his campaign.

Senator John S. Fisher of Indiana, a member of the slate committee of the senate, was in Pittsburgh yesterday. He says that Mr. Rhey has written him, announcing his candidacy. Auditor General W. P. Snyder was also in the city yesterday, and he says that Mr. Rhey is prominently mentioned for the place. The senators elect the clerk and the salary is $2,500 a year.

W. Harry Baker of Harrisburg, who will be the acting chief clerk until the senate elects Mr. Smiley's successor, has been mentioned for the office. Unfortunately for him, Herman P. Miller, the senate librarian, comes from Dauphin

JOHN M. RHEY
Of Carlisle, Who Is Prominently Mentioned for the Chief Clerkship of the State Senate.

county, and the Republican leaders are of the opinion that it would be unwise to give the best positions in the senate to men from the same county. Samuel B. Cochrane of Kittanning is a candidate for the chief clerkship, but it is understood that he is not meeting with encouragement.

Something About Mr. Rhey.

Mr. Rhey was born in Ebensburg, Cambria county, August 9, 1858. His parents removed to Carlisle while he was a child. He was educated in the schools of the town and in Dickinson college and Dickinson Law school and was graduated in 1886. He has been practicing law in Carlisle since that time. In 1895 he was a transcribing clerk in the senate and two years later was promoted to journal clerk, a position he still holds. His father, John S. Rhey, was speaker of the house in 1852 and was a member of the body for several terms.

Senator Fisher was at Republican headquarters yesterday afternoon. While there he was asked about conditions in his county and replied:

"Democrats seem to be taking almost no interest in the national campaign. I do not remember a year when they were more listless and less concerned about their candidates. Parker's speeches and his letter of acceptance have not helped the matter for him in my locality. Judging from the talk I believe that a number of Democrats will vote for Roosevelt."

Mr. Fisher may come to Pittsburgh to attend the mass meeting in Old City hall Friday evening, at which the Republican campaign in Western Pennsylvania will be opened by Congressman W. P. Hepburn of Iowa, Attorney General Hampton L. Carson, Gen. Thomas J. Stewart and James F. Burke.

Penrose Is Sanguine.

County Chairman Thomas J. Ford and City Chairman Max G. Leslie returned yesterday morning from a consultation with State Chairman Penrose in Philadelphia. They report that Chairman Penrose is much pleased with the situation in Pennsylvania, which he expects to give a record-breaking majority for the Republican ticket, and is confident that Roosevelt and Fairbanks will be elected.

The commissioners yesterday completed the tabulation of the list of voters in the county, as returned by the assessors at the close of the September registration. Below is a table showing the registration for this year and last:

	1904	1903.
Pittsburgh	91,594	90,673
Allegheny	35,063	35,779
McKeesport	8,090	8,624
Boroughs	54,301	52,140
Townships	29,378	29,241
Totals	219,144	216,398

The Democrats have not selected a man to succeed W. H. S. Thomson as the candidate for congressman in the Twenty-ninth congressional district. J. C. Reilly, the nominee in the Thirty-first district, may also decide to decline the nomination.

Boy May Die from Fall.

Joseph Connors, aged 9, son of John Connors of No. 3837 Mifflin street, fell from a second-story porch at his home last night and will likely die. He sustained a concussion of the brain and internal injuries.

THE DEATH ROLL

Mrs. Martha S. McQuitty.

Mrs. Martha S. McQuitty, widow of Andrew McQuitty and stepmother of former Prothonotary A. J. McQuitty, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Robert Moore, 512 Washington avenue, Carnegie, yesterday. Mrs. McQuitty was born in Washington county 79 years ago, being the daughter of Matthew Crawford, a pioneer settler of that county. She had lived in Carnegie since 1894. Two daughters survive, Mrs. Robert Moore of Carnegie and Mrs. Sylvia Willson of Somerset, Pa. Funeral services will be held in the First United Presbyterian church, Carnegie, this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

George W. Obender.

George W. Obender, aged 54, of Vance street, Coraopolis, died yesterday. He was born in Fryburg, Clarion county, Pa., where he lived until 18 years ago, when he removed to Coraopolis. He was a member of St. Joseph's Catholic church and is survived by his widow and nine children, William F. of McKees Rocks, Frank S., John A., all of Coraopolis; Mrs. Sarah Friehl of McKees Rocks, Agnes R., Isabella, Cora and Gertrude, at home. Funeral services will be held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock and interment will be made at St. Mary's cemetery, McKees Rocks.

Cyrus Leck, Jr.

Word was received in Braddock yesterday announcing the death at Ensley, Ala., of Cyrus Leck, Jr., who went to Ensley several years ago to work in the Alabama Iron and Steel works. He was scalded in a boiler explosion last Thursday and died Monday. Leck lived in Sixth street, Braddock, before going south. He was a steel blower when 21 years old. He is survived by his parents, two sisters and a brother.

Philip J. Moran.

Philip J. Moran, aged 24, of 406 Island avenue, McKees Rocks, dropped dead of heart failure yesterday while at work at the Murphy iron works in Allegheny. He was born in Scranton, Pa., and is survived by two brothers, James J. of Winslow, Ariz., and Michael of Sacramento, Cal., and two sisters, Mary of Sacramento, Cal., and Rose of McKees Rocks.

Obituary Notes.

J. B. Kilgore, one of Blairsville's best-known citizens, died Monday night, aged 70 years. The body will be taken to Allegheny Thursday for interment.

Minnie A. Latimore, oldest daughter of James L. Latimore, died at her father's home in West Newton Monday, aged 32 years. Miss Latimore was a school teacher.

Mrs. Ellen Flood, one of the oldest women in Fayette county, is dead at her late home in Dunbar, aged 97 years. She was the widow of Lawrence Flood, a Mexican war veteran, and was the mother of 10 children, 6 of whom are living.

Bedford School to Send Forth a Bright Class

THE GRADUATING CLASS.

Back row—Elizabeth Bittner, May Raleigh, Hilda Hoffman, Harry Campbell, Emma Mansz (teacher.

Middle row—James Farrel, Grace St. Peter, Lysle Cornwall, E. W. Dalbey (principal), Ray Westfall and Joseph Fanflinger.

Front row—William Dugan and Florence Fiedler.

A class of 13, ready to enter the High school, will be graduated with fitting ceremonies this afternoon at the Bedford school, Bingham street, near South Tenth street. The program will start at 1:30 p. m. There will be orchestral music and a chorus of the school at the opening, and Prof. R. H. Holbrook will deliver the invocation. William Dugan will give a piano solo, "Pilgrims' Song of Hope." Prof. E. Ryncarson will deliver an address. A vocal solo by Mrs. Mayme Highley will follow, after which an address will be made by Samuel Andrews, superintendent of city schools. Hilda Hoffman will play a piano solo and the Rev. Dr. E. L. Eaton will deliver the class address, "Making Things Go." Miss Mary Praegner will deliver a congratulatory address and then the diplomas will be presented by William H. Ziefel, secretary of the school board. The exercises will end with the singing of "America."

CATHOLIC CLERGY IN CONVENTION

Eucharistic Congress of Church in the United States Is Convened.

FRANCE MAY BE REBUKED

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—The third general eucharistic congress of the Roman Catholic church in the United States opened here today for a three days' session, with a solemn pontifical mass celebrated in St. Patrick's cathedral by Archbishop Farley. During the continuation of the solemn triduum at St. Patrick's similar services will be held daily in all churches within Archbishop Farley's jurisdiction, and instructions on a subject relating to the eucharist will be delivered, followed by the benediction.

Pope Pius X., as a special mark of his favor, has granted three special indulgences to those attending these services, and by a special letter has commended the spirit of the congress. His message was delivered to the delegates, consisting of over 1,000 priests, half a dozen archbishops, fully a score of bishops and numerous monsignors and ecclesiastics of high orders, by Monsignor Falconio, apostolic delegate to the United States. Mgr. Falconio represents the pontiff at the congress and Bishop Camillus P. Maes of Covington, Ky., who has been foremost in furthering the Priests' Eucharistic league movement, presides. The sermon, which was the keynote of the congress, was delivered by Mgr. Joseph F. Mooney, vicar general of New York.

The first business session of the congress was held this afternoon in Cathedral college hall. The visiting priests and prelates were welcomed by Archbishop Farley, who said that the encyclical of 1902 by Leo XIII. he considered the last will of the late pontiff, because in it he expressed himself as about to close his earthly career, and his desire was to see all men brought closer to the blessed sacrament. He also told of the feelings of affection expressed by Pope Pius X., when he learned that the third eucharistic congress was to be held in this city, and his response to the request for encouragement was the sending of the apostolic brief read at the opening services. At the suggestion of Archbishop Farley, the archbishops, bishops, monsignors and clergy united in sending this message of thanks to Pius X., bearing the signature of the archbishop of New York:

"The third eucharistic congress of the United States, assembled in the cathedral of New York, thanks the holy father, Pope Pius X., most cordially for the paternal love and blessing contained in his official brief, and salutes him with filial love and loyalty."

Answering an inquiry made by the Rev. Father James Dougherty, pastor of St. Gabriel's church, this city, if the congress intended entering a protest against the persecution of both priests and nuns by the French government, Bishop Maes said that he could not answer the question offhand, because some of the invited prelates from distant parts of the country have not yet arrived, but personally he expressed the wish that before the congress adjourned stinging resolutions would be passed denouncing the French government for its persecution and banishment of priests and sisters. He said, also, that true liberty is in this country for God, the church and the soul.

After the appointment of committees and the reading of letters of regret from Archbishop Riordan of San Francisco, and others, the congress settled down to listen to papers presented.

Family Arrested for Crime.

TOWANDA, PA., Sept. 27.—(Special.)—Interest in the mystery surrounding the finding of the bodies of Mrs. Bigler Johnson and 10-year-old Annie Benjamin in the ruins of Mrs. Johnson's home, which was burned on the night of September 18, at Macedonia, increases. Bigler Johnson, the dead woman's husband, was arrested last week. Today his mother, Mrs. Sophia Merritt, his brothers, Lanson and Charles, and his sister, Nancy, were taken into custody in connection with the crime.

Cumberland Synod Meets.

At the opening of the 67th session of the Pennsylvania synod of the Cumberland Presbyterian church, held at the Cumberland Presbyterian church, McKeesport, last night the Rev. J. B. Hale of Waynesburg, a returned missionary from Japan, was elected moderator. About 150 delegates attended. The session will continue today and tomorrow.

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PERSONALS

Former Governor William A. MacCorkle of Charleston, W. Va., was in Pittsburgh yesterday on business matters. Ex-Governor MacCorkle is mentioned as a probable candidate for United States senator in the event of West Virginia electing a Democratic legislature this fall. MacCorkle holds the distinction of having been the last Democratic governor of West Virginia. He went out of office in 1897. During his term he incurred the enmity of the free-trade element of his party in West Virginia because he attended the tariff hearings before congress and advocated a tariff on coal, one of the chief products of the state.

Word was received here yesterday that the following Pittsburgh academy students have passed the entrance examination at Cornell university, Ithaca, N. Y.: Ralph Best of Rays street, East End; Miss Mary A. Christy of Ford City, Thomas A. Cosgrove of Braddock, Stanley H. Flint of Wilkinsburg, Miss Ethel S. Hamilton and Samuel P. Woodside of Ben Avon, Paul H. Hamilton of Braddock, J. Wallace Marshall of Wilmerding and Charles M. Shallenberger of Farragut street, East End.

City Controller Larkin will leave this morning for Philadelphia to be gone two days, gathering information about preliminary filtration as shown in operation in the Quaker City. The controller expects to return loaded with ammunition in the form of figures, which he declares will put the opposition here to rout. He held a long conference with his attorney, George W. Guthrie, yesterday.

The Rev. R. I. McKee, pastor of Friendship Park Methodist Episcopal church, will leave on October 9 for Globe, Ariz., owing to the bad health of his wife. Mr. McKee has been granted a transfer to a congregation in that place, and it is his intention to return to this city as soon as his wife's health will permit.

Dr. W. R. Batt of Philadelphia, state quarantine officer, who created a sensation in Allegheny during the recent smallpox epidemic and who had charge of the campaign against the typhoid epidemic in Butler later, is attending the meeting of the State Medical society. He is at the Lincoln.

H. Gardner of London, England, interested in the manufacture of pottery, glass and iron, is at the Lincoln. He says he is taking a trip over the United States securing the latest ideas.

Auditor General W. P. Snyder, Mrs. Snyder and their son, Dr. Snyder, were in Pittsburgh yesterday attending the Weinman-John wedding in Wilkinsburg last evening.

The officers of the Keystone National bank gave a dinner to their employes last evening at the Hotel Duquesne.

R. G. Curtin and S. D. Reilly, prominent physicians of Philadelphia, are at the Duquesne.

Neighbors Visiting Pittsburgh.

The following residents of nearby towns were registered last night at local hotels:

Henry—J. A. Boyd, Blandsburg; P. J. Echenrod, Youngstown, O.; S. S. Hamilton, Punxsutawney.

Seventh Avenue—T. L. Marsh, Ebensburg; W. N. McGeary, Greensburg; S. P. Glover, Frank M. Morrow, Altoona; H. L. Wilson, Akron, O.

Lincoln—H. J. Hemphill; T. R. Williams, Punxsutawney.

Duquesne—Dr. Wm. Robertson, Warren; W. A. Nicholson, Franklin.

Newells—P. H. Snyder, Grafton, W. Va.; A. W. Collard, Clairton.

Monongahela—F. R. Zahniser, Greensburg; F. P. Clark, Monessen; C. M. Harris and Mrs. Harris, Wheeling, W. Va.; A. J. Findlay, Franklin; George C. Crow, Charleroi.

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COMMEND ROOSEVELT FOR TAKING THE INITIATIVE

EDINBURGH, Sept. 27.—The institute of international law today adopted a resolution expressing gratification at the initiative taken by President Roosevelt in deciding to shortly call a conference of the nations of the world at The Hague to continue the work of The Hague peace conference.

ALL LONGWORTH SAYS IS NOTHING

Refuses to Confirm or Deny Reported Engagement to Miss Roosevelt.

INCIDENT AT MILLS DINNER

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—Much interest is felt in society over the rumor that Representative Nicholas Longworth of Ohio and Miss Alice Roosevelt are to wed.

Mrs. Ogden Mills gave a dinner last night at her country home up the Hudson to Miss Roosevelt and Mr. Longworth. They sat side by side. In the course of the meal Mr. Longworth showed the daughter of the president a newspaper clipping reporting that they were engaged.

Miss Roosevelt laughed and Mr. Longworth laughed, too. The other guests, discovering the cause of their amusement and the purport of the clipping, proceeded to chaff them.

Finally both Miss Roosevelt and Mr. Longworth were pressed for a confirmation or a denial of the report that they were to wed. Both evaded questions with great skill, and at the close of the dinner it was agreed by the other guests that neither Miss Roosevelt nor the congressman had expressly admitted that they were engaged, nor had they expressly denied it.

The story of the dinner episode spread, and today Mr. Longworth, at the uptown headquarters of the Republican congressional committee, was pressed by his friends for something definite in the way of an announcement. At last he made this statement to a personal friend:

"Say to the press that if it is necessary that I shall be quoted at all, I desire to be quoted as saying that I have nothing to say."

From the time of his arrival in Washington Mr. Longworth has been most attentive to Miss Roosevelt. He was her devoted attendant at receptions, he accompanied her to places of amusement, and during the past summer, when Miss Roosevelt has been traveling from place to place as the guest of friends in society, young Mr. Longworth has not been far away.

Reception for a Pastor.

Members of the Wilkinsburg United Brethren church and friends tendered a reception to the pastor, the Rev. J. S. Fulton, last night on his return from the church conference at Scottdale, Pa. The speakers included the Rev. J. E. McCloy, George Rankin, Jr., Miss Lydia Kearns, Mrs. Agnes Gowdy, S. W. Merriman, Burgess John A. Keys and F. B. Otto.

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The following Executors, Administrators, Guardians and Trustees have settled their respective accounts in the office of the Register and Clerk of Orphans' Court, and the same will be presented for confirmation to the Orphans' Court of Allegheny County at the Court House, Pittsburgh, Monday, October 3, 1904.

No.	Estates of	Accountants.	Filed.	
2	Campbell, Joseph	Campbell, J. J., Executor	Aug.	8, 1904
3	Waechter, Mamie Ottilia	Dollar Savings Fund & Trust Co., Guardian	Aug.	8, 1904
4	Smith, Norman M.	Smith, Margaret W. et al., Executors	Aug.	8, 1904
5	Donley, Samuel A.	Bredin, James, Administrator	Aug.	9, 1904
6	McIntyre, Caroline A. E.	Pressly, Melinda M., Executrix	Aug.	10, 1904
7	Reed, James	Henry, John R., Administrator	Aug.	10, 1904
8	McCaulley, Samuel F.	McCaulley, Clara, Administratrix	Aug.	11, 1904
9	Fauset, Ann	Taylor, B. H., et al., Executors	Aug.	11, 1904
10	Morrow, Patrick J.	Watterson, A. V. D., Administrator	Aug.	11, 1904
11	Bown, Wm. H.	Philips, Joseph H., Administrator	Aug.	11, 1904
12	Gilson, Beulah A.	Gilson, H. G., Administrator	Aug.	11, 1904
13	Carnahan, Lucy M.	Carnahan, B. H., Administratrix	Aug.	12, 1904
14	Drew, Margaret	Nicholson, Andrew, Guardian	Aug.	12, 1904
15	Smith, Frank H.	McClelland, L. L., Administrator	Aug.	12, 1904
16	Tipker, John Henry	Aufderheide, Jno. H., et al., Executors	Aug.	13, 1904
17	Sheafer, Emma	Sheafer, H. W., Administrator	Aug.	15, 1904
18	Leeck, Marilla	Dollar Savings Fund & Trust Co., Guardian	Aug.	15, 1904
19	Foreman, Margaret A.	Glasgow, John C., Administrator	Aug.	15, 1904
20	Graver, Michael	Graver, Albert B., Administrator	Aug.	16, 1904
21	Pollard, John	Pollard, Charles J., Administrator	Aug.	15, 1904
22	Ryan, Bridget	Ryan, Mathew, et al., Executors	Aug.	16, 1904
23	Richards, Bartley	Richards, Annie M., Administratrix	Aug.	17, 1904
24	O'Hara, James	Kay, Frederic G., Administrator	Aug.	17, 1904
25	Steuernagel, Catherine	Steuernagel, Henry, Administrator	Aug.	17, 1904
26	Rea, Jennie	Edwards, Annie E., Executrix	Aug.	17, 1904
27	Loughrey, William	Kumer, H. J., Administrator	Aug.	17, 1904
28	Braun, Wilhelmina	Braun, Herman, Administrator	Aug.	18, 1904
29	Welfer, Thomas	Welfer, Thomas, Jr., et al., Executors	Aug.	18, 1904
30	Melk, Daniel	Melk, Mary, Executrix	Aug.	18, 1904
31	Junker, Charles	Junker, Chas., et al., Executors	Aug.	18, 1904
32	Walsh, Thomas	Real Estate Trust Co., Executor	Aug.	19, 1904
33	Little, James	Little, David, et al., Executors	Aug.	19, 1904
34	Clark, Oella	Clark, Edward E., Guardian	Aug.	19, 1904
35	Brown, Samuel Barbour	Walkinshaw, Lewis C., Administrator	Aug.	20, 1904
36	Brucker, Elizabeth	Deil, William, Executor	Aug.	20, 1904
37	Cadis, Frederick	Haschenburger, George, Executor	Aug.	20, 1904
38	Pfusch, George H.	Pfusch, Annie L., Administratrix	Aug.	22, 1904
39	Thomas, Clara	Pennsylvania Trust Co., Guardian	Aug.	22, 1904
40	Teufel, Christina	Knoell, Jacob, Executor	Aug.	23, 1904
41	Kibler, Mary E.	Kibler, James R., Executor	Aug.	23, 1904
42	Caldwell, Wm. H.	Caldwell, Ella, Administratrix	Aug.	24, 1904
43	McCrandle, Agnes	Magill, Bernard, Executor	Aug.	24, 1904
44	McCrandle, Jane E., Bernard and John	Magill, Bernard, Guardian	Aug.	24, 1904
45	Thompson, Otis R.	Thompson, Rena S., Administratrix	Aug.	25, 1904
46	Mitchell, Elizabeth	Carr, Harry M., Executor	Aug.	25, 1904
47	Beresford, James	Beresford, Mary, Executrix	Aug.	25, 1904
48	Stotz, John H.	Stotz, Wm. H., et al., Executors	Aug.	25, 1904
49	Elliott, Margaret	Smith, Albert B., Trustee	Aug.	26, 1904
50	Davis, Daniel R.	Brideson, Thomas, Executor	Aug.	26, 1904
51	Mansmann, Appolonia	Mansmann, Max, Executor	Aug.	26, 1904
52	Semple, Wm. H., Marrie and Nellie	Hartley, Thomas H., Guardian	Aug.	26, 1904
53	Coyne, John V.	Coyne, Martin, Guardian	Aug.	29, 1904
54	Johnston, Allison	Campbell, Joseph L., Administrator	Aug.	29, 1904
55	Kuntz, Catherine	Karner, Peter, Executor	Aug.	29, 1904
56	McLaughlin, James	McLaughlin, Bridget, Administratrix	Aug.	30, 1904
57	Claus, Hannah	Claus, Wm., Executor	Aug.	30, 1904
58	Scott, Wm. J.	Scott, John T., et al., Executors	Aug.	31, 1904
59	Fillinger, Louise	Bloedel, H. C., Executor	Aug.	31, 1904
60	Quinn, John	Loughney, P. J., Executor	Aug.	31, 1904
61	Richter, George	Dornberger, Jacob, Executor	Aug.	31, 1904
62	Leiber, Morris	Leiber, Nathan, Executor	Aug.	31, 1904
63	Beck, Emma A. and Clara J.	Haller, S. P., Guardian	Aug.	31, 1904
64	Janeway, Joseph	Callahan, Peter A., Guardian	Aug.	31, 1904
65	Steenson, Blanche V.	Steenson, Robert J., Executor	Aug.	31, 1904
66	Murray, Margaret M.	Montgomery, James G., Executor	Sept.	1, 1904
67	Schneider, Christ.	Schneider, Elizabeth, Administratrix	Sept.	1, 1904
68	Schneider, Elizabeth	Schneider, Frank, Executor	Sept.	1, 1904
69	Sampson, Thomas	Sampson, John E., et al., Executors	Sept.	1, 1904
70	Diehl, Jacob P.	Colonial Trust Co., Administrator	Sept.	1, 1904
71	Wike, Charles H.	Hamilton, Harry D., Guardian	Sept.	2, 1904
72	Doty, James C.	Doty, Margaret S., Administratrix	Sept.	2, 1904
73	Gledden, Thomas D.	Donaldson, S. B., Executor	Sept.	2, 1904
74	Coyle, Thomas E.	Smith, David, Executor	Sept.	2, 1904
75	Fertig, Frank	Safe Deposit & Trust Co., Administrator	Sept.	2, 1904
76	Slater, Frank M.	Safe Deposit & Trust Co., Guardian	Sept.	2, 1904
77	McKinney, Evaline H.	Safe Deposit & Trust Co., Guardian	Sept.	2, 1904
78	Warman, Harry H.	Safe Deposit & Trust Co., Guardian	Sept.	2, 1904
79	Cooper, Mary J.	Safe Deposit & Trust Co., Executor	Sept.	2, 1904
80	Boyd, Mary M.	Safe Deposit & Trust Co., Guardian	Sept.	2, 1904
81	Dunlap, Mary J.	Safe Deposit & Trust Co., Executor	Sept.	2, 1904
82	Fertig, Rosetta	Safe Deposit & Trust Co., Administrator	Sept.	2, 1904
83	Flanagan, Michael	Safe Deposit & Trust Co., Administrator	Sept.	2, 1904
84	Fink, Roy Howe	Fidelity Title & Trust Co., Guardian	Sept.	2, 1904
85	McClintock, Chas. T.	Fidelity Title & Trust Co., Administrator	Sept.	2, 1904
86	Kuhn, Margaret E.	Fidelity Title & Trust Co., Guardian	Sept.	2, 1904
87	McDonald, Hannah	Fidelity Title & Trust Co., Guardian	Sept.	2, 1904
88	Feeney, Bridget	Equitable Trust Co., Administrator	Sept.	2, 1904
89	Boggs, Samuel W.	Fidelity Title & Trust Co., Trustee	Sept.	2, 1904
90	Rife, George	Fidelity Title & Trust Co., Trustee	Sept.	2, 1904
91	Morgan, Mary	Fidelity Title & Trust Co., Trustee	Sept.	2, 1904
92	Rippl, John	Fidelity Title & Trust Co., Trustee	Sept.	2, 1904
93	Rife, Eesle	Fidelity Title & Trust Co., Trustee	Sept.	2, 1904
94	Ryan, Bethle	Fidelity Title & Trust Co., Trustee	Sept.	2, 1904
95	Murphy, Benjamin	Fidelity Title & Trust Co., Trustee	Sept.	2, 1904
96	Maloney, Lizzie	Equitable Trust Co., Trustee	Sept.	2, 1904
97	Wilson, James	Ralph, James, Trustee	Sept.	2, 1904
98	Taylor, Grace K.	Safe Deposit & Trust Co., Trustee	Sept.	2, 1904
99	Magee, C. L.	Self, Wm. H., et al., Executors	Sept.	2, 1904

GEO. H. STENGEL,
Register and Ex Officio Clerk of Orphans' Court.

AUDIT NOTICE

All parties interested are hereby notified that an audit list will be made up of all the foregoing accounts (except Guardians') which shall show balances for distribution, and of all accounts to which exceptions shall be filed, and that said audit list will be taken up on Monday, October 17, 1904, and continue thereafter each day, (Saturday and Sunday excepted) until the whole shall have been disposed of.

GEO. H. STENGEL,
Register and Ex Officio Clerk of Orphans' Court.

CITY USED HOSE TO HOLD CORNER

Allegheny Police Prevent Battle of Railroad Labor Gang and Public Works Employes.

DISPUTE WITH P. & W. MEN

Interference by officials of the Pittsburgh & Western railroad with the work of the Allegheny highways and sewers bureau employes yesterday afternoon resulted in a riot call being sent in to No. 1 patrol station, and for a time war was imminent in the vicinity of River avenue and McFadden street, in the Eighth ward. Before the trouble was quelled the city employes had attached two lines of fire hose to plugs and dared the railroad laborers to advance toward the disputed territory. In the treaty of peace agreed to the principals were Director McIlvain, Supt. Campbell, Assistant Superintendent Glenn, Detective Aiken, Sergt. Sherry and 10 policemen for the city and Supervisor Thomas F. Donahoe and 50 Italians looking after the railroad interests.

Street Commissioner Striepeke was sent to McFadden street and River avenue with a gang of seven men to commence work on a sewer connection at the corner, to supply another outlet to the main along the river front. Director McIlvain last week notified the officials of the Pittsburgh & Western railroad that the work was to be done and that a trench would be dug under the tracks. According to him, he was informed the railroad would not permit the improvement unless $25 damages was paid to the railroad for the expense it would be put to in preparing for the change. McIlvain, on behalf of the city, refused to grant the demand and ordered his men yesterday morning to proceed with the work.

Supervisor Donahoe appeared on the scene after the city laborers had dug a big hole almost under the railroad tracks. He ordered the work stopped at once, and was told by Striepeke to mind his own business. Donahoe had evidently been prepared for just such a contingency, as he rushed to a telephone and got into communication with some one, while Striepeke telephoned to Director McIlvain. The latter informed Director Scandrett, and he ordered Supt. Campbell to hurry to the scene with as many men as he could find.

In the meantime Striepeke had secured two lines of fire hose from No. 8 engine company and attached them to plugs. A few minutes after a shifting engine, with two carloads of slag and 50 Italians, arrived. Donahoe ordered his men to shovel the slag into the hole, and it was here that Striepeke and his men brought the hose into the squabble. Several of the Italians who started forward with their tools were met by a stream of water that knocked them off their feet. They retreated and were lining up, planning another attack, when wagons from No. 1 and No. 2 stations brought the police. Donahoe had a brief conference with Supt. Campbell and decided that discretion was the better part of valor. He took his men and his slag and went away. He would not promise, however, that the assault would not be renewed today, and there will be a squad of police stationed there to prevent any further trouble.

ALLEGHENY POLICEMEN HAVE BEEN SUSPENDED

Six of the Force Laid Off Because of Unpardonable Ignorance—Arrested Valuable Ward Workers.

Because two men escaped from an alleged speakeasy at 2 Benton avenue, Allegheny, when it was raided on Sunday morning, six members of the police force have been suspended indefinitely. They are Lieut. Hamilton Wills, Frank Pfarr, Frank Sanders, John Alaksr, Thomas Wolfendale and Gus Young. The men were summoned to the office of Supt. Campbell yesterday afternoon and were given a hearing before Mayor Wyman, Director Scandrett, Supt. Campbell and Capt. James Wilson.

In the raid on Sunday morning several men, who are considered valuable as ward politicians, were arrested. Through ignorance the police allowed but two of these heavyweights to slip away. The others made complaint and the trial followed.

When the place, which is said to be run by George Murphy and Samuel Jones, was entered by the police, 18 visitors were having a merry time, with 15 kegs and 12 cases of beer. Only 16 of them were taken to No. 3 patrol station, and it was several of those, offended by the fact that the police did their duty with but two violations, that caused the suspension of the bluecoats.

OLD MAN WAS CARRYING TOO MANY CHICKENS

With his baskets filled with chickens, James Smith, an aged resident of Carrick, was arrested yesterday by Constable William F. Bauman and committed to jail by Justice McGovern. For the last few months residents of Carrick and vicinity who owned chickens have had their coops robbed, and, although many plans were made to capture the thief, they always failed. Smith's downfall came when he was seen to leave his home with empty baskets Monday night. It is said that over 1,000 chickens were stolen during the summer.

COAL BUSINESS IS BRISK.

One Company Has Sold Output to April 1 and Has Obtained Fair Price.

The heavy demand for coal from the bituminous mining companies of the Pittsburgh district is shown in a statement made yesterday by Louis F. Newman, general manager of the Empire Coal Mining Company. Mr. Newman said that his company's capacity up to April 1 has been taken and that yesterday he turned away orders for 200,000 tons of lump and slack coal. He claims for his company in its No. 1 mine a banner soft coal producer. Its record is putting over a single tipple 1,000 tons a day for six consecutive days.

No price lower than 90 cents a ton for run-of-mine coal, and with rare exceptions, 50 cents for slack has been forced, he said. He says the company has recently advanced prices because of the threat of a car shortage which he believes will be more severe this winter than in two seasons past.

Execrable Royal Shot.

DRESDEN, SAXONY, Sept. 27.—While hunting partridges today Duke Henry of Mecklenburg-Schwerin was shot by Prince Othon of Schoenburg-Waldenburg and wounded in both knees and one hand. The gun was loaded only with bird shot, and the duke will be confined to a hospital for several days.

Internal Revenue Receipts.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27.—The monthly statement of the collections of internal revenue shows that for the month of August, 1904, the total receipts were $10,132,439, an increase, as compared with August, 1903, of $347,925.

Left Sick Bed to Speak.

JACKSON, MISS., Sept. 27.—Thomas E. Watson, Populist candidate for president, spoke here today, after being confined to his bed for 12 hours with fever.

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FINANCE COMMITTEE CALLED

Another raid has begun on the funds of the bureau of fire. Although $15,000 has already been taken from its appropriation to pay the expenses of the bond election, officials are now asking for two more transfers from the same fund to supply deficiencies in other bureaus. A meeting of the finance committee has been called for next Tuesday to consider the transfer bills and other measures introduced in councils Monday night.

There are two resolutions to transfer money in the finance committee. One is a transfer of $8,000 to the bureau of health and the other $4,400 to the general office of the department of public safety. This makes $27,400 already transferred, or about to be transferred.

Director Moore told councils when the appropriations for this year were being made up he would run short of funds, and unless he was given more money he would have to run his fire force short-handed. Councils thereupon added $25,000 to the appropriation, but Moore said he ought to have at least $50,000 more. Again, last summer, when the firemen asked for a vacation, the mayor and Moore pleaded lack of money and claimed it would cost $20,000 extra to employ substitutes while the regular men were off duty. For these alleged reasons the firemen did not get a vacation.

In view of these statements councilmen are wondering how the public safety officials can afford to spare so much money from the fire bureau when they began the year with lack of money. These matters will be investigated in councils.

The proposed sale to the Wabash Pittsburgh Terminal Railway Company of three lots owned by the city and used as an engine house, extending from Fourth avenue to Liberty avenue, will be considered by the finance committee. The Wabash offers the city $54,550 for the property. It has been the practice of councils and the finance committee to advertise all city property for public sale and sell it to the highest bidder. An attempt to sell the old Oakland police station, Second avenue, to Jones & Laughlin by the old councils without advertising for public sale caused quite a sensation in councils. It was proposed to sell it at first at $3,000, but it brought $5,000 at public sale.

The Sisters of the Good Shepherd ask councils to exonerate them from the payment of taxes for 1901, 1902 and 1903, amounting to $1,126 86, the request being made on the grounds the institution is a religious and charitable one and should be exempt from taxation.

There is a resolution in the committee authorizing the transfer of $2,000 from the street repairing fund to a fund for the building of a retaining wall across Oakley alley, at McCord street and Dahlia alley, Twenty-seventh ward; also a resolution transferring $500 from repaving of Cherry alley, from Third avenue south, to complete the repaving of Amberson avenue, from the Pennsylvania railroad; $300 from the Larimer avenue bridge to repairs on the Ellsworth avenue bridge.

ACCUSED OF FORGERY.

Westinghouse Company Clerk Committed to Jail for Court.

C. R. Thompson of Hutchison avenue, Edgewood, the clerk employed at the Westinghouse Electric and Machine Company at East Pittsburgh, who was arrested several days ago on several charges of forgery and false pretense, had a hearing yesterday afternoon before Alderman McMasters, on a charge of forgery, made by A. P. Shoemaker of the Park building.

Shoemaker claims Thompson gave him a worthless check for $35 on the East Pittsburgh Trust Company, purporting to be signed by Greg. Rodgers, cashier of the Westinghouse company, which was afterwards declared a forgery. Thompson was held for court and in default of $500 bail was committed to jail.

Two Deputy Sheriffs at Glassport.

Deputies Thomas Sheridan and Benjamin Peterson were sent by Sheriff James W. Dickson to Glassport last evening to be on hand in case of an emergency arising in the strike situation at the plant of the Pittsburgh Steel foundry. The officials of the company say they believe the strike has passed the worst stages.

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OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

IN the court of common pleas No. 3, No. 126 November term, 1904.

In the matter of the petition of the city of Allegheny for the appointment of viewers to ascertain the costs, damages and expenses and assess the benefits for grading, paving and curbing and damage by grade of Winthrope street, from California avenue to Cambridge street, Eleventh ward.

Notice is hereby given to all parties in interest that the undersigned viewers, duly appointed by the court in the foregoing matter, have prepared a schedule, showing the damages, costs and expenses ascertained and allowed, and the benefits assessed for the foregoing improvement, and that said viewers will meet and exhibit the same at their office, Municipal hall, Allegheny, on the 12th day of October, A. D. 1904, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., and will then and thereupon hear all exceptions thereto and evidence thereon.

JAMES B. DUFF,
GEO. F. LARIMER,
J. W. WALLACE,
Viewers.

IN the court of common pleas No. 3, No. 127 November term, 1904.

In the matter of the petition of the city of Allegheny for the appointment of viewers to ascertain the costs, damages and expenses, and assess the benefits for grading, paving and curbing and damage by grade of Hanover street, from Preble avenue to east line of Western Penitentiary, Ninth ward.

Notice is hereby given to all parties in interest that the undersigned viewers, duly appointed by the court in the foregoing matter, have prepared a schedule, showing the damages, costs and expenses ascertained and allowed, and the benefits assessed for the foregoing improvement, and that said viewers will meet and exhibit the same at their office, Municipal hall, Allegheny, on the 11th day of October, A. D. 1904, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., and will then and thereupon hear all exceptions thereto and evidence thereon.

JAMES B. DUFF,
GEO. F. LARIMER,
J. W. WALLACE,
Viewers.

IN the court of common pleas No. 3, No. 144 May term, 1904.

In the matter of the petition of the city of Allegheny for the appointment of viewers to ascertain the costs, damages and expenses, and assess the benefits for the grading, paving and curbing of Davis avenue, from California avenue to Grenada street, Eleventh ward.

Notice is hereby given to all parties in interest that the undersigned viewers, duly appointed by the court in the foregoing matter, have prepared a schedule, showing the damages, costs and expenses ascertained and allowed, and the benefits assessed for the foregoing improvement, and that said viewers will meet and exhibit the same at their office, Municipal hall, Allegheny, on the 10th day of October, A. D. 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m., and will then and thereupon hear all exceptions thereto and evidence thereon.

NEWTON PETRIE,
CROSBY GRAY,
J. B. HEARD,
Viewers.

OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

IN the court of common pleas No. 3, No. 124 November term, 1904.

In the matter of the petition of the city of Allegheny for the appointment of viewers to ascertain the costs, damages and expenses, and assess the benefits for grading, paving and curbing Dunlap avenue, from Perrysville avenue to a point 481 feet east, Fifteenth ward.

Notice is hereby given to all parties in interest that the undersigned viewers, duly appointed by the court in the foregoing matter, have prepared a schedule, showing the damages, costs and expenses ascertained and allowed, and the benefits assessed for the foregoing improvement, and that said viewers will meet and exhibit the same at their office, Municipal hall, Allegheny, on the 11th day of October, A. D. 1904, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., and will then and thereupon hear all exceptions thereto and evidence thereon.

JAMES B. DUFF,
GEO. F. LARIMER,
J. W. WALLACE,
Viewers.

Store Closes 5:30 P. M. Wednesday, September 28, 1904.

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FOR PHILADELPHIA, NEW YORK, BALTIMORE AND WASHINGTON.

Keystone Express, daily ..... 3:00 a. m.
Manhattan Limited, daily, for North Philadelphia and New York ..... 3:35 a. m.
The Pennsylvania Limited, daily... 7:15 a. m.
New York Limited, daily ..... 7:15 a. m.
Atlantic Express, daily ..... 7:30 a. m.
Main Line Express, daily ..... 8:00 a. m.
Day Express, daily ..... 12:01 p. m.
Mail Express, daily ..... 12:45 p. m.
Chicago Mail, daily for Baltimore and Washington ..... 4:50 p. m.
Eastern Express, daily for Philadelphia and New York ..... 4:55 p. m.
New York Express, daily for Philadelphia and New York ..... 7:10 p. m.
Philadelphia Express, daily ..... 9:00 p. m.
New York Special, daily, for New York only ..... 10:00 p. m.
Philadelphia Special, daily. Sleeping cars to Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington. No coaches ..... 10:00 p. m.
For Buffalo and Niagara Falls, 9:00 a. m. and 11:00 p. m. daily.
For Oil City, 6:15, 9:00 a. m., 1:30, 5:05 and 11:00 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9:00 a. m., 5:05 and 11:00 p. m.
For Titusville and Corry, 6:15, 9:00 a. m. and 11:00 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9:00 a. m. and 11:00 p. m. For Titusville only, 1:30 p. m. week-days.
For Dubois, 6:15, 9:00 a. m., 1:30 and 5:05 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9:00 a. m. and 5:05 p. m.
For Atlantic City (via Delaware River Bridge, all-rail route), 8:00 and 8:00 a. m. and 7:10 and 9:00 p. m. daily. "The Pennsylvania Limited" and "New York Limited," 7:15 a. m. week-days, 10:00 p. m. daily with through sleeping car.
For Cape May, 10:00 p. m. daily. "The Pennsylvania Limited" and "New York Limited," 7:15 a. m. week-days.
For Connellsville and Uniontown, 5:15, 8:25 a. m., 12:30 and 5:05 p. m. week-days, 8:00 a. m. and 4:05 p. m. Sundays.
For Brownsville and Uniontown, 10:55 a. m. week-days and 4:30 p. m. daily. For Brownsville only, 8:20 a. m., 3:25, 6:45 and 11:35 p. m. week-days; 7:00, 9:35 a. m. and 1:05, 5:00 and 9:40 p. m. Sundays. For West Brownsville, 6:05 a. m. and 1:05 p. m. week-days. For Dravosburg, West Elizabeth, Monongahela City and Belle Vernon, 6:05, 8:20, 10:55 a. m., 1:05, 3:25, 4:30 (5:20 to Monongahela City), 6:45 and 11:35 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 7:00, 9:35 a. m., 1:05, 4:30, 5:00 and 9:40 p. m.

FROM ALLEGHENY.

For Butler, 6:00, 8:30, 10:25 a. m., 3:10 and 6:40 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 7:00 a. m., 9:30 p. m.

The Excelsior Baggage Express Company will call for and check Baggage from Hotels and Residences. Time cards and full information can be obtained at the Ticket Offices—No. 360 Fifth avenue, corner Fourth avenue and Try street, and Union Station.

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J. R. WOOD, Pass. Traf. Mgr.
GEO. W. BOYD, General Passenger Agent.

PITTSBURGH & LAKE ERIE R. R. CLEVELAND SHORT LINE.

Schedule in Effect June 19, 1904.

CENTRAL TIME.	Depart.	Arrive.
Chicago & Cleve. "Flyer".	*7:00 am	*9:45 pm
Cleveland "Flyer"	*7:00 am	*6:30 pm
Youngst'n & Cleve. Mail.	*8:30 am	*5:10 pm
Buffalo and Erie Express.	†8:30 am	†7:15 pm
Lake Chaut'qua Fast Line	*12:50 pm	*6:30 am
St. Louis Express	*12:50 pm	*8:50 am
Buffalo and Erie Express.	*5:00 pm	*9:45 pm
Cleveland and Chicago Ex.	*2:30 pm	*12:20 pm
Boston Special	†5:00 pm	*6:35 am
Cleve. & Detroit "Flyer".	*6:15 pm	*11:15 am
Chicago Limited	*6:15 pm	*6:35 pm
Lauprez Limited	*9:00 pm	*3:20 pm
Buffalo and Cleveland Ex.	*10:35 pm	*6:35 pm
Youngstown Accom.....	†5:30 am	*8:50 am
Beaver Falls Accom.....	†6:40 am	†5:35 am
Beaver Falls Accom.....	†9:00 am	†9:30 am
West Pittsburgh Accom..	†12:10 pm	†4:15 pm
Beaver Falls Accom.....	†3:30 pm	†12:15 pm
New Castle Express.....	†4:20 pm	†7:30 am
New Castle Express.....	†8:05 am	†1:10 pm
Beaver Falls Express.....	†5:25 pm	†6:30 am
Brownsville Accom.....	†6:10 am	†6:45 am
Brownsville & N.Hav. Ex.	*8:00 am	*8:00 am
McKeesprt. & Brownsville.	†11:30 am	†12:40 pm
Brownsville & N. Haven..	†3:30 pm	†4:50 pm
Brownsville & N. Haven..	†5:20 pm	†5:45 pm

P., C. & Y. trains for Carnegie, Beadling and Beechmont, †6:30 a. m., †10:15 a. m.
*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. ‡Sunday only.
1Note—Daily train (Sunday, Youngstown only).

City ticket office, 537 Fifth ave., Park bldg.

J. B. YOHE, Gen. Supt.
L. A. ROBINSON, Gen. Pass. Agent.
Pittsburgh, Pa.

RAILROADS

WABASH

TRAINS LEAVE WABASH STATION DAILY

Corner Liberty Ave. and Fifty St. City Ticket Office, 320 Fifth Ave.

Central Time.	Depart.	Arrive.
Toledo and St. Louis...	6:30 a. m.	7:00 p. m.
St. Louis & Kans. City.	1:00 p. m.	4:15 p. m.
Chicago & St. Louis....	7:30 p. m.	6:20 a. m.

All trains between Pittsburgh and St. Louis Union Station stop at Wabash World's Fair Station, directly opposite main entrance to the Exposition.

RAILROADS.

Pittsburgh Union Station.

Pennsylvania Lines.

By Central Standard Time.

TRAINS.	LEAVE.	ARRIVE.
Chicago, Cincinnati and St. Louis.	* 1.10 am	* 3.45 am
Fort Wayne and Chicago	* 8.15 am	* 1.15 pm
Toledo and Toledo	* 8.15 am	* 5.00 pm
Indianapolis, Louisville, St. Louis.	* 4.50 am	* 8.00 pm
Columbus and Cincinnati.....	* 4.50 am	* 2.40 pm
Cleveland and Bellaire.....	† 5.00 am	† 7.05 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire.....	† 6.00 am	† 1.25 pm
Allianee and Cleveland.....	† 5.00 am	† 1.15 pm
Alliance and Mansfield	* 8.08 am	* 5.00 pm
Erie, Youngstown and Ashtabula..	* 6.00 am	* 8.20 pm
Erie, Youngstown and Ashtabula.	* 6.40 am	†10.55 am
Ohio Valley Express	† 6.45 am	* 8.50 pm
Salem and Alliance	† 7.00 am	†10.40 pm
Fort Wayne and Chicago.....	* 7.00 am	* 1.50 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire.....	† 7.40 am	† 4.55 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire.....	† 7.50 am	† 6.55 pm
Mercer and Oil City	† 7.45 am	†10.05 am
Jamestown and New Castle.....	† 7.45 am	* 5.25 pm
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The Forest City Special.....	* 8.00 am	* 5.40 pm
Columbus and Cincinnati	* 8.00 am	* 5.40 pm
Expo Train, Ft. Wayne, St. Louis..	* 8.20 am	* 6.30 pm
Youngstown and Niles	* 8.30 am	* 5.50 pm
The Toledo Special	11.40 am	* 8.05 pm
Youngstown, Ashtabula & Jamest'n	†12.05 pm	† 8.00 pm
New Castle and Ashtabula	†12.45 pm	†10.35 am
The World's Fair Special	* 1.00 pm	* 2.15 pm
Columbus and Chicago	1.05 pm	* 2.40 pm
Cleveland and Bellaire.....	† 1.25 pm	† 1.15 pm
Alliance and Mansfield.....	* 1.25 pm	† 1.55 pm
New Castle and Erie.....	* 4.30 pm	* 5.50 pm
Mercer and Oil City	* 4.30 pm	* 8.20 pm
Youngstown and Niles	* 4.50 pm	* 8.30 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire.....	† 4.55 pm	* 8.40 pm
The Cleveland Special.....	* 5.00 pm	†11.15 am
Wellsville and Bellaire.....	† 5.10 pm	† 9.10 am
The Chicago Special	* 6.30 pm	† 4.45 pm
Columbus and Indianapolis	* 8.10 pm	* 7.55 am
The St. Louis Limited.....	* 8.10 pm	* 8.05 am
Cincinnati, Indianapolis, Louisville*	8.15 pm	* 8.00 am
The Pennsylvania Limited.....	* 8.18 pm	* 6.05 am
Toledo and Detroit	* 8.20 pm	* 7.00 am
Beaver Falls and New Castle.....	†10.46 pm	† 8.50 pm
Alliance and Cleveland.....	†11.00 pm	† 5.40 am

BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD.

(Eastern Standard Time.)

Leave Station, Smithfield and Water Sts.

LINES EAST.	Depart.	Arrive.
Cumberland Accom.....	* 8.30 am	* 3.25 pm
Connels. & Mt. Pleasant..	† 6.30 am	†10.00 am
Wash., Balt. & N. York..	* 8.00 am	* 1.45 pm
Conn'v., Un'n & Fairm't.	* 8.00 am	* 7.45 pm
West Newton Accom.....	† 9.15 am	† 8.00 am
Cumb., Wash. & Balt....	† 1.00 pm	* 2.45 pm
Conn'v., Un'n, Morgant'n..	† 1.35 pm	†10.00 am
Connels. & Mt. Pleasant..	† 1.35 pm	† 6.05 pm
Connellsville Accom.....	* 4.00 pm	† 9.05 pm
Morgantown, Clarksburg and Weston.....	† 5.00 pm	†12.50 pm
Philadelphia & New York (Duquesne Limited).....	* 6.30 pm	* 9.00 am
West Newton Accom.....	† 6.40 pm	† 1.50 pm
Wash., Balt. & Phila.....	* 9.00 pm	* 7.15 am

LINES WEST VIA WHEELING.

Columbus & Cincin. Exp..	†12.05 am	.....
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac..	* 7.00 am	*10.35 am
Col., Cin. & St. L. Exp...	* 8.30 am	* 7.45 am
St. Louis Limited	* 1.30 pm	*11.00 pm
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheeling..	* 3.35 pm	* 3.45 pm
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac..	* 5.55 pm	* 8.40 am
Col., Cin. & St. L. Exp...	* 8.50 pm	* 7.55 pm

LINES WEST VIA AKRON.

Cleve., Akron & Youngst..	* 7.30 am	* 8.15 pm
Chicago & Cleveland.....	* 4.30 pm	*12.15 pm
Chicago Limited.....	8.00 pm	* 7.50 am

(Leaves P. & W. Station, Allegheny.)

Butler	† 7.00 am	† 8.00 am
Butler, Foxburg.....	† 7.30 am	† 7.25 pm
Butler, Foxburg.....	† 8.15 am	† 5.10 pm
Butler, Conn. Lake & Erie.	† 9.15 am	† 6.35 pm
Butler	†10.40 am	† 9.40 am
Butler, Conn. Lake & Erie.	† 1.10 pm	† 1.00 pm
Ellwood City	† 1.15 pm	† 6.50 pm
Butler, Clarion, Greenv..	† 3.00 pm	†10.25 am
Butler, Ellw'd, N. Castle.	† 5.30 pm	† 9.40 am
Butler	† 8.15 pm	† 8.10 pm
Ellwd, Foxb'g, N. Castle.	† 9.15 pm	† 9.00 am
Butler	†11.20 pm	* 7.25 pm

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. ‡Sunday only.

BESSEMER & LAKE ERIE R. R.

Trains leave B. & O. depot, Allegheny (Eastern Standard time), for Conneaut, O., Erie, Girard, Meadville and Conneaut Lake at 8:15 a. m. and 1:15 p. m.; for Greenville, Mercer, Grove City and Kersey at 8:15 a. m., 1:15 and 5:00 p. m. All trains daily except Sunday.

D. COMSTOCK, G. P. A., Pittsburgh, Pa.

HER OWN FAULT, SAID WEE VICTIM

Little Italian Girl Run Down and Killed by a Traction Car.

MURDERED INFANT IS FOUND

"It was me fault."

These were the last words of Margaret Spicuzza, aged 5, of 826 Penn avenue, Wilkinsburg, who was run over by a Hamilton avenue street car, No. 4238, in Wood street, that borough, last night. The child died five minutes after the accident, repeating, "Me fault."

The child was crossing the tracks, and seeing the car approaching, tried to get out of the way. She was knocked down and the car crossed her body. The motorman and conductor were arrested and gave bail to await the result of the inquest before Justice Walker. The child was the daughter of John Spicuzza, a fruit dealer.

The body of a male infant, about 7 days old, was found under a foot bridge in Oakwood park yesterday by Frank Guth, a salesman. It is believed the child was choked to death. A woman saw a negro place a bundle under the bridge last Saturday.

Michael Constantino, aged 27, a laborer, died at his boarding house at 81 Washington street last night from injuries received two weeks ago in a cave-in while working in a trench. He was employed by Contractors Cronin & Herron.

John Quinn, aged 23, an employe in the Edgar Thomson works in Braddock, was run over and killed by a train of ladel cars in the yards of the company last night. He lived in John street, Braddock.

John Scales, colored, a miner, was killed by a shifting train on the West Belt railroad near his home at Bruceton early yesterday morning.

Hugh Wallace, aged 53, of 3123 Wampum street, was found dead in bed early yesterday morning.

Phillip Moran, aged 22, of 403 Island avenue, McKees Rocks, dropped dead while erecting machinery in the new power plant of the Pittsburgh Railways Company at Brunots Island yesterday.

RACING WAS FINE.

2:16 Pace at Erie Was Great Event. Favorites Were Beaten.

ERIE, Sept. 27.—This was the first day of the fall meeting of the Reed Driving Park association, and drew only a small crowd. The weather was beautiful, the track in fine condition and the sport good, especially the 2:16 pace, which was pronounced by the horsemen here to be as good a race as they had seen this season. Both events were surprises. C. M. W. was an almost prohibitive favorite in the 2:22 pace, which was won by Bay Jim, an unknown, and the last event went to Capt. Derby, a field horse. Summaries:

First race, 2:22 pace, purse $400.

Bay Jim, b g, by Woolsey, (Leiphart)	4	3	1	1	1
C M W, b g, (Wahl)	1	1	2	2	4
Ruth C, b m, (Reed)	5	2	3	4	2
Sweetheart, b m, (McLaughlin)	2	5	4	3	3
Royal Online, b g, (Jones)	3	4	5	5	dr

Time, 2:22¾; 2:20½; 2:17½; 2:22¾; 2:20¾.

Second race, 2:16 pace, purse $400.

Captain Derby, b g, by Charles Derby, (Eldridge)	1	1	0	5	1
Bon Czar, b g, (Coburn)	3	3	1	1	2
Rudy Kip, br s, (Grieble)	4	2	2	2	3
Billy W, c g, (Keating)	2	5	4	4	5
Fanny Purcell, b m, (Jennison)	7	8	3	3	4
Sandown, blk g, (Gray)	8	4	5	8	6
Silver Rod, b g, (Collins)	6	9	6	6	7
Value, b g, (Humphrey)	9	7	7	7	8
Bessie Schloble, g m, (Batch)	8	6	9	9	9

Time, 2:16¼; 2:16½; 2:16¼; 2:17; 2:16¾.

FEARED INSANITY, SO HE SHOOTS HIMSELF

BERLIN, Sept. 27.—D. H. Goss, president of the American Institute at Strassburg, shot and killed himself there yesterday. He left a letter saying he feared he was becoming insane, and for that reason had decided to commit suicide. The American Institute is closed.

BIG ODDS ARE GIVEN ON ROOSEVELT IN NEW YORK

Election Betting Becoming Lively With Offerings of Big Money on Curb Market.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—Election betting in Wall street was much livelier today, with the odds on Roosevelt lengthened to 10 to 4. At these figures T. H. Smith offered to bet in the Broad street curb market $25,000 in $1,000 bets. Mr. Smith made one bet of $2,500 to $1,000 with W. A. Titus, who took the Parker end. The Roosevelt money on the big offer was understood to come to Mr. Smith from a western man.

Another bet was made on the curb of $2,000 to $900, or at odds of 10 to 4½ on Roosevelt. The names of the principals in this bet were not made public. On the governorship contest odds of 10 to 9 were offered that Herrick would win. Some small bets were made on those terms.

Some other bets made on the curb today (Roosevelt bettors given first) were: J. J. Judge, $2,000 to $800 with C. R. Hammerslough; C. R. Smith, $2,500 to $1,000 with Lansbrugh Brothers; Allen McGraw, $1,000 to $400 with Max Berg. J. J. Judge also made a bet of $200 even with Dick Bros. & Co. that Roosevelt would carry the state.

Stephen J. Callahan, a member of the Consolidated stock exchange, announced today that he had placed a bet of $5,000 to $2,500 on Roosevelt with a southern syndicate.

EXPO SEASON HALF OVER.

But 23 Days More to Run—Boys' Orchestra is Growing in Popularity.

Yesterday marked the close of the first half of the exposition season, and but 23 days remain to enjoy the exhibit. The Boys' Symphony Orchestra of New York continues to win plaudits. Nicholas Garagusi, the 14-year-old concertmeister and violinist; Nathan Schildkraut, the 12-year-old clarinet soloist; Oscar Somonviz, the 12-year-old 'cello soloist and Antonio Ungaro, the boy harpist, were repeatedly encored yesterday.

Friday will be Heptasophs day, when members of that order will take possession of the exposition, and on Saturday the commercial travelers will be the honored guests. The programs for this afternoon follow:

2 P. M.

Selection from "Toyland".....Herbert
a Characteristic dance, "Franco-American" from "Peggy from Paris".....Wathall
b Chinese dance, "Hop Lee," from "The Tenderfoot".....Heartz
Selection from "The Office Boy".....Englander
a "Since I First Met You" from "Sultan of Sulu".....Wathall
b "In Days of Old," from Yankee Consul".....Robyn
March from "The Prince of Pilsen".....Luders

4 P. M.

March, "The Kaufmann" (new).....Pinto
[Dedicated to the Kaufmann Bros.]
Overture, "Jubel".....Weber
Xylophone Solo, "Fantasia De Bravuro" Peter Lewin.
Suite, "Peer Gynt".....Grieg
March, "Good Bye, Little Girl, Good Bye," .....Edwards

TEUTONIA CELEBRATES.

Golden Jubilee of Allegheny Singing Society Marked by Big Street Parade.

Teutonia Mannerchor of Allegheny last night closed the exercises marking the 50th anniversary of its organization with a street parade and an entertainment at the society hall in Pike street. Capt. James Wilson, with eight mounted police, headed the marchers, who left Teutonia hall at 8 o'clock with 200 men in line. The principal streets were traversed by the paraders who later returned to spend the evening in celebrating the jubilee event in the handsome home of Teutonia.

There were representatives present from the following societies: Cecelia Mannerchor, Schubert, Druiden and Robert Blum. Prof. Ferdinand Berger directed a male chorus of 50 voices that rendered several German selections. Refreshments were served and part of the evening was spent in dancing.

"WILL WEAR NO MAN'S TAG" SAYS GOV. HIGGINS

To Decide Whether to Take the Stump or Not at Meeting of Leaders.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—(Special.)—"Before the campaign is over, I am certain that every voter in the state will understand not only that I wear the tag of no man now, but that I am the kind of man to whom no tag can be attached in the event of my election," said Lieut.-Gov. Higgins today, when asked how he intended to meet charges of "Odellism."

Mr. Higgins is undecided whether he will take the stump or not. The question will be determined definitely when the leaders get together in Olean next week at the notification ceremony. Mr. Higgins said: "In the case of a man who has served 10 years in public life, who has never been charged with a single dishonest act, and who has been criticised frequently and severely by his own party leaders because of his independence, I doubt whether it is becoming in him to personally plead his own cause before the voters."

Charged With Lifting $10 Bill.

Eddie Keefe of No. 212 Devilliier street, was arrested yesterday. It is charged that Keefe, with a companion, who has escaped, entered the store of Michael Torado, No. 1035 Fifth avenue, and stole $10.

ROOSEVELT GREETS MEN OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Declares That Modern Life, to Reach Full Development, Must Be a World Life.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27.—President Roosevelt received in the east room of the White House today 75 members of the International Congress of Arts and Sciences, headed by the president of the congress, Prof. Simon Newcomb and Prof. Hugo Munsterberg. President Roosevelt was presented to the delegates, among whom were many ladies, by Prof. Newcomb. The president said, in part:

"Perhaps the happiest feature of our modern life is the steadily increasing recognition of the fact it must be a world life; that no nation can hope for the fullest development if it confines itself exclusively within its own boundaries; that progress must come from a frank recognition of the fact that each nation can help others and can be helped by them. I feel not only do associations and gatherings such as this mean much for the scientific, the artistic, the intellectual development of all the nations taking part in them, but I feel also that these gatherings all help to prepare the way for the time when the great rule of right and equity shall prevail among the nations exactly as they now in highly civilized countries prevail among individuals."

Wabash's Permanent Ohio Line Will Be Completed Next Month

The Wabash extension's new line in Ohio from Jewett to Mingo, or rather from Pittsburgh Junction to Mingo Junction, is rapidly nearing completion. In less than a month the regular trains over the Wabash will be running on the permanent route instead of the temporary one arranged at Mingo Junction. It will mean the saving of the greater part of an hour on passenger schedules and will make possible the easy operation of freight trains.

The Ohio end of the new line is 20 miles long. It strikes straight across from Mingo to the Wheeling & Lake Erie near Jewett. Through nine tunnels and over several bridges the line makes its way despite great engineering difficulties due to the character of the country.

On this line the work has advanced so far that 17 miles out of the 26 are now laid with tracks which have been ballasted and put into shape for use as soon as the remaining three miles are laid. The tracklaying started at the west end and advanced 14 miles east. At the east end it was carried forward three miles. At each end of the present tracks are bridges which are being built now, and when completed will allow the ending of the track work.

The bridge at the east end is a large one, 800 feet long. At the west end the bridge is about 1000 feet long. The American Bridge Company is doing the work and is making good progress. The general construction of this line up to its completion is in charge of Supt. J. W. Patterson, Jr., of the Wabash-Pittsburgh Terminal railway.

The line from end to end was inspected on Saturday by President Joseph Ramsey, Jr., and Vice President J. W. Patterson. Mr. Patterson expects to see the work completed and the line ready for use by the middle of October.

Improved Dining Car Service.

The Baltimore & Ohio railroad has made several important improvements in its dining car service, wiping out a small yearly profit and creating a not too large deficit, in order to give a very much better service. The system has 25 dining cars in daily use, and seven of them have been built in the last two years, averaging in cost about $20,000 each. Within the past few months the wages of the stewards have been increased and a premium placed on good service and attention to patrons. A traveling chef has been employed whose sole duty is to inspect the kitchens and instruct the cooks in their work. The new system has been effective for several months with the result that the service is greatly improved and the receipts larger.

Changes Among Pennsy Passenger Men.

Important changes and promotions have just been made in the western force of the Pennsylvania lines. George Thompson, formerly chief clerk to Assistant General Passenger Agent Kimball at Chicago, has been made northwestern passenger agent with headquarters at St. Paul. His successor is E. K. Bixby, who has been traveling passenger agent of the lines with headquarters at Ft. Wayne. Mr. Bixby is succeeded by E. N. Odenbaugh, who has been the company's agent at Sandusky. Mr. Bixby is very well known in the Pennsylvania service. He was the company's Texas representative for some time and about five years ago was transferred to Cleveland.

B. & O. Local Freight Very Heavy.

The largest business in its history is being done by the city freight house of the Baltimore & Ohio in Water street, opposite Grant and Ross streets. From 150 to 300 cars are being loaded at the house and on the team tracks daily and an equal number unloaded. This business is especially profitable. It is in the main high-class freight in less than carload shipments upon which high rates are secured. The growth of the business has been marked and is credited largely to the popularity of the scheduled fast freight service given by the Baltimore & Ohio both east and west of Pittsburgh.

Lake Erie-Pittsburgh Traffic Large.

The traffic in coal and ore between Pittsburgh and Lake Erie continues very large. The shipments at this time are far in excess of the same time last year and there are no present prospects of a decrease. The railroads in the Pittsburgh territory are doing a very satisfactory business, with fewer cars in some cases than are needed. It is the belief of the traffic officials that the dull times here are past.

Railroad Notes.

W. C. Loree, general superintendent, and J. R. Dickson, superintendent of maintenance of way of the Baltimore & Ohio, inspected the Fairport line yesterday.

President A. J. Cassatt and other officials of the Pennsylvania from headquarters will be in the city on October 6 to witness the opening of the Brilliant cut-off.

A new stoker that feeds the coal with a screw is being tested by the Pennsylvania railroad on one of the H-6-A engines in climbing the eastern slope of the Alleghenies.

Superintendent Bruce W. Duer and others of his staff on the Pittsburgh division of the Baltimore & Ohio inspected the line from this city to Butler and to New Castle yesterday and were well satisfied with the track.

The Wabash announces a cut of one hour in the time between Chicago and St. Louis, effective next Sunday. The "Banner Blue Limited" will make the run between the two cities in seven hours. It is the fastest schedule ever put into effect there.

RECORDS BROKEN ON OAKLEY TRACK

Alta Axworthy Shows Great Speed and Sets New Mark for Three-Year-Olds.

JOHN M. SHOWS GOOD SPEED

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CINCINNATI, Sept. 27.—The second day of the Oakley park grand circuit meeting had a good crowd in attendance. The track was in fine condition, and several records were broken. In the Horse Review Futurity stake, for foals of 1901, purse $7,000, Alta Axworthy, after finishing sixth to Princess Athel in the first heat and second to Grace Bond in the second heat, won the race in three straight heats, making a world's record for the best five heats ever trotted by 3-year-olds as well as a world's record for the fastest fifth heat ever trotted by 3-year-olds. In the first heat, Grace Bond led until 50 yards from the post, when she broke, Princess Athel winning from Witteen. Grace Bond won the second heat from start to finish in easy fashion.

E. E. Smathers' John M established a new record in the 2:05 pace, winning the second heat in 2:03¾. This breaks his own record of 2:04¼ and is the fastest mile pace in a race this season. In the first heat Nathan Straus won from John M in a driving finish by a neck. John M won the remaining heats handily.

Major Delmar will try to break the world's trotting record here Thursday. Summaries:

2:20 class trotting, the Queen City, purse $3,000; 3 in 5.

Lisonjero, b g, by Dexter Prince (Howard)	1	1	1		
Snyder McGregor, ch g, (Benyon)	2	2	2		
Jolly Bachelor, b g, (Spear)	4	3	3		
Bonnie Russell, b h, (Hudson)	5	3	4		
Stanley Dillon, b g, (Geers)	3	5	5		
Black Thorn, blk g, (Webster)	ds				
Myopia, ch g, (Coe)	ds				

Time, 2:00¼; 2:00¼; 2:00½.

2:05 pace, purse $1,500; 3 in 5.

John M, blk g, by Paris, (Spear)	2	1	1	1	
Nathan Straus, b g, (Thomas)	1	2	2	4	
Edith W, b m, (Turner)	4	3	4	2	
Little Squaw, blk m, (Ceideburg)	3	4	3	3	
Hal Chaffin, b h, (Geers)	5	ds			

Time, 2:05¾; 2:03¾; 2:06; 2:05¾.

Horse Review Futurity, trotting for foals of 1901; purse $7,000; 3 in 5.

Alta Axworthy, ch f, by Axworthy, (Thomas)	6	2	1	1	
Grace Bond, b f, (Gatcomb)	4	1	2	3	6
Princess Athel, b f, (De Ryder)	1	3	5	5	5
Witteen, b c, (B. Shaw)	2	4	3	2	2
Alice Egar, br f, (Jones)	3	5	7	7	3
Jessie Benyon, ro f, (Benyon)	5	6	4	4	4
Gazote, br c, (Huston)	7	7	6	6	7
Floy Medium, b f, (Green)	8	ds			

Time, 2:14½; 2:11¾; 2:10½; 2:11¾; 2:11¼.

Organize for Basketball.

The Sycamore club of Allegheny will put a team on the floor this year and the following players have started practice at the Phipps gymnasium: Killen and Feeney of the Natonnia, Quinn of Indiana Normal school, Black and Mallory of last year's Phipps gymnasium team and Whitesides of Allegheny Reserves. Games are desired with the following teams: Newman club, Fosters, De Haven, Marquette, St. Lukes of Carnegie, Apolla High school, Freedom second team and Herron Hill. Address E. A. Whitesides, 505 Coleman street, Allegheny.

NEWS OF AMATEURS

West Newton wants games for Thursday, Friday and Saturday. 'Phone E. S. Pixson, West Newton.

The Verona A. C. will meet the Springdale amateurs at Springdale in the second of a series of three games for the 16-year-old championship of Western Pennsylvania.

The Lyman A. C. would like to hear from the Managers of Lajoies, Melrose, Beever or Glenshaw for Sunday games for October to be played on Lyman's grounds. Will pay half the expenses for 10 men. Address T. A. Holland, 2723 Shelly street, South Side.

The arrival of Hans Lobert from Des Moines, Ia.; Swartling from Piedmont, W. Va.; Dawson from Lonaconing, has stimulated baseball in Beltzhoover to such an extent that the Beltzhoover team has reorganized and wishes to secure a few games for the balance of the season. Any first-class team wishing a date will address Manager Smythe, 319-321 First avenue, city. 'Phone 919 Court.

FOOTBALL NOTES.

The Stanton Tigers would like to arrange games with all 35 or 90-pound teams. All teams desiring games address Lawrence Orgill, 5181 Stanton avenue, city.

The Hazelwood Library A. C. has October and all other dates open for any 70 to 75-pound team. Address Warren Elsey, Jr., 4411 Second avenue, Hazelwood.

The Pequot 75-pound team wants a game for Saturday with some team of their weight on Pequot grounds. Full expenses. Address W. E. Gillespie, 507 Union station, city.

Hazelwood A. C. is ready to book games with all 80 to 85-pound teams. Would like to hear from some good team for October 1 at home Address Alvin Sphriber, 211 Glenwood avenue, Hazelwood.

The Bison A. C. is out for the 65 and 70-pound championship. Anybody disputing the same write R. C. Keadley, Morewood avenue, Allegheny. The Bisons will practice tomorrow evening at 7 o'clock.

The Waltons will play the Bison A. C. Saturday on the Walton ground. The Waltons would like to hear from some good 70-pound team for October 8. Address W. E. Jones, Grand avenue, Allegheny.

The Enterprise A. A. is ready to book games with all good 65 and 70-pound teams. They would like to hear from the Brightons or Waltons for October 8. Address Ernest Stoup, 1401 Franklin st., Allegheny.

The Y. M. C. A. first team of Sewickley would like a game on home grounds on October 15 and 22. Any first-class team wishing games can get one by addressing H. C. Bartholomew, manager, Sewickley.

Herron Hill football team practices at Herron Hill park tonight at 7:30. Players are to report in uniform. Herron Hill would like to hear from Flavel, Wittmer, Superior and Sewickley 11. Address Charles McSteen, 2501 Center avenue.

The Crescent A. C. of the East End will open the season Saturday on Baum street with the Avalon Tigers. Crescent challenges all 80 and 85-pound teams. Address Henry S. Carr, 235 Emerson street, or 'phone Highland 2489-R between 6 and 7 o'clock.

Superior A. A. football team would like to arrange a game with any good 80 to 85-pound team for next Saturday, which will be opening day at the new grounds, Shady avenue, Allegheny. Call up 401-R Brady between 5:30 and 6 p. m. and ask for Meals.

The Copeland A. C. of Braddock challenges all 75 to 80-pound teams having good grounds for all dates in November and October 1, 8 and 20. Would like to hear from some out-of-town team for Thanksgiving. Address John A. Esler, 214 Main street, Braddock.

The Army A. C. would like to open the season Saturday with any good 60 to 70-pound team on home grounds. Full expenses and good treatment guaranteed. Any good 60 to 70-pound team desiring this date answer at once to William Wiley, 104 Forty-second street, city.

The players of the Oneidas of Duquesne Heights will please report for practice in full uniform Thursday evening at 7:30 sharp. The Oneidas are without a game for Saturday, October 1, and would like to hear from all 80 to 85-pound teams. Address H. Reno, August street, city.

Pastime Reserves will line-up against the Idlewood Juniors Saturday at Idlewood. All players are requested to report for practice this evening at Central park in full uniform. All 80-pound teams having open dates address William J. McAllister, 2440 Bedford avenue, city.

The players of the Termon Tigers are requested to report for practice Thursday evening and Friday afternoon. Termon Tigers will play the Tammany Tigers October 1. All 55-pound teams wishing games addres R. C. Krideli, Fleming avenue, Allegheny.

The football team of North End will practice Thursday evening on the North End grounds. The players are requested to report. Any 80 or 90-pound team desiring a game for Saturday, October 1, to be played on North End grounds, call up R. Anshutz, 574-J Cedar any evening at 5 or 6 o'clock.

The old Minerville Indians have reorganized for the season and would like to hear from all 80-pound teams. All players wishing to try for the team report Thursday night at 7:30 at Recreation park, Herron Hill. For games address Harry Idzkousky, 3241 Madison avenue, city.

Espien A. C. claims the 18-year-old championship of Western Pennsylvania. Any team disputing this claim can have a game for Saturday, October 1, on Espien grounds. The following teams preferred: Marysville, Kellers, Hickory, Baldwin and Cabinets. For game call up 53, McKees Rocks, and ask for Joe Dwyer, between 7 and 8 p. m.

The Mt. Washington Tigers have reorganized for the coming season and would like to hear from all 75-pound teams—Monterey, South Side Reserves, Pequots and other first-class teams. Have all grounds Saturday and holidays open. The players will report for practice Tuesday and Thursday evenings. For games address Mark B. Foley, P. O. Box 1216, city.

Game Ended in a Row.

SCOTTDALE, Sept. 27.—(Special.)—The annual game by the Eighty-Niners here today was marred by the coming together of two players in the eighth inning over an old grudge. The men were separated, but the crowd broke onto the field and it was impossible to continue play, and the umpire called the game back to the seventh inning. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Eighty-Niners	1	0	2
Elks	0	1	0

COLLEGE TEAMS READY FOR PLA

Yale Will Meet Wesleyan—Ha vard's Men Show Well in Swift Practice.

THE TIGERS LINE U

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

NEW HAVEN, CONN., Sept. 27.—Yale and Wesleyan will play the first football game of the season here tomorrow. The hard work for the regulars was consequently shorter today than usual, but the scrubs were given a hard gruelling practice. Edgar F. Glass assisted in coaching the guards and S. C. Vanderpoel coached the back field. The incident of the day was the lively game of Cotton, a law student, who has just entered the game. Capt. Hogan was at tackle. Cotton was more nearly a match for Hogan than almost anyone else who has faced him. He is ineligible this year, having come from the University of Nebraska. Yale will tomorrow line-up: Gates, left end; Bloomer, left tackle; H. Turner, left guard; Boraback, center; Kinson, right guard; Hogan, right tackle; Stevens, right end; Rockwell, quarterback; Rcome, left halfback; Quill right halfback; White, fullback.

CAMBRIDGE, MASS., Sept. 27.—There was a big crowd out to watch the Harvard football squad work this afternoon and it was given a good chance to give vent to its enthusiasm by a 10 minutes' scrimmage between the varsity and second elevens. It was as good a game of football as one could ask to see and it gave encouragement to the coaches. There were long runs by the backs, two clean tackles in the mail field by Kernans, quarterback on the second, and good all-round playing. The strength of the second lay in Brill, left tackle, and Parker, center, both of whom are freshmen weighing more than 200 pounds, and men of considerable football experience. Nichols played on the varsity for the first time and he did some ground gaining.

PRINCETON, N. J., Sept. 27.—The line-up for tomorrow's game probably will be as follows: Left end, Crawford; left tackle, Conney; left guard, Rafferty; center, Dutcher; right guard, Short; right tackle, Stannard; right end, Ward; quarterback, Burke; right half, Foulke, left half, King; fullback, McCormick.

BLACK GIANTS BEATEN.

Lew Moren Held the Colored Team to Four Hits.

Lindsay won the game for Homestead yesterday by hitting out a safe one to left field with Edmundson on third base in the first of a series of games between the H. L. A. C. and Cuban X-Giants. Lew Moren held the husky black men down to four hits. Lindsay made a long running catch near the right field bleachers that drew applause. Score:

H. L. A. C.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	C. Giants	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Gardner,ss	3	2	1	2	0	Robinson,c	0	0	1	6	0
M'Cl'sky	2	0	0	2	1	Jordon,ss	0	1	4	3	0
Crum,m	1	0	1	2	0	Moore,m	0	1	0	2	0
Lindsay,1	0	2	11	0	0	Wilson,2	0	1	2	3	0
Smith,r	0	1	2	1	0	Jackson,1	0	0	0	0	0
McKee,1	0	1	0	0	0	Smith,3	0	0	0	5	0
Pohl,c	0	1	4	3	0	Murray,l	0	0	0	1	0
M'Cl'k,s	0	0	2	3	0	Williams,c	0	1	4	0	0
Moren,p	0	0	2	3	0	Buckner,p	0	0	3	0	0
Totals	1	8	26	14	1	Totals	0	4	24	15	0

*Buckner out for bunting third strike.

H. L. A. C.	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	*	1
Cuban X-Giants	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Stolen bases—Edmundson, Smith, McClintock. Sacrifice hit—McKee. First base on balls—Off Moren 4, off Buckner 2. Struck out—By Moren 5, by Buckner 3. Umpire—Parry. Attendance—800.

Ohio Works Team Won Again.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Sept. 27.—(Special.)—Ohio Works defeated Zanesville again this afternoon in a short and sensational game, 1 to 0. Lucas and Thomas had a pitchers' battle with the odds slightly in favor of the local man. Ohio Works won through Huling's slowness in fielding an easy chance. Score:

		H.	E.
Ohio Works	0	6	0
Zanesville	0	3	0

Pool Tourney Winners.

In the local pool tourney yesterday Harris defeated Weston 100 to 41 in the afternoon game, and McCue defeated Palmer 100 to 89 in the evening game.

Boys' all-wool suits at 3.00

Judge this boys' clothing store by its $3.00 line. Go into the matter thoroughly. Visit the other stores. Make comparisons. You'll find that the majority of the suits shown elsewhere at $3.00 can be duplicated here at $2.00, and that only the $4.00 and $4.50 suits of others can be compared to those we show at $3.00. Every suit is made of strictly all wool material, in newest style.

KAUFMANN'S
"THE BIG STORE"

Men's $3.50 Burt & Packard shoes. 2.25

The merits of these shoes are too well known to need any exploiting here. Both lace and blucher styles are included in this sale, made of best Corono patent leather, box calf and vici kid, heavy rock oak soles., Goodyear welt sewed, all sizes—at 2.25.

Practical elegance marks our women's ready-to-wear garments

YOU'LL find nothing here that's garish or bizarre. Every style was selected for its practical elegance—thus, every garment in our stock is meant to appeal to carefully attired women—women who appreciate true dressmaking and tailoring art—who seek apparel that possesses the virtue of refinement—thus imparting to Milady a true air of tone and individuality.

10.00 for women's suits which you'd fully expect to pay $15 or $16.50 for—not stereotyped commonplace garments, but suits possessing character. A great variety to select from—the long, loose coat, Norfolk coat and fly front styles; collar or collarless effect; new full sleeves; lined with good satin; kilted and pleated skirts. The materials are fancy mixtures, suitings and cheviots, in blacks, blues and browns.

16.50 for women's suits which possess many elements of superiority over the ordinary $22 suits. They're made of fine novelty mixtures, cheviots and English suitings; in the smart tourist coat style with belted back, Norfolk style and regular jacket style; beautifully trimmed with braids or buttons; the coats satin lined, cuffs and collar of velvet or self material; gored, kilted or pleated skirts.

25.00 for women's suits—These are exclusive models designed especially for us—they'll appeal to the particular women. Made in the smart 30-inch tourist coat style; new blouse style; semi-fitting vestee effect; Norfolk and the very popular tight fitting style, handsomely trimmed with burnt orange, onion and velvet, or tailor stitched; the skirts in the most graceful hanging effects, ankle length with foot kilts, pleats and gores. $30 and $35 is a fair estimate of the value of these suits.

37.50 for women's suits of surpassing merit—depicting the latest style thoughts and color schemes from the world's most authentic sources. Particularly charming are the new Paquin models with vest effect of beautiful combination colors, the tight fitting coat style with straps and separate belt, and the swell 30-inch tight fitting coat styles; novelty sleeves with gauntlet cuffs; others with postillion peplum back.

44.00 for magnificent lace robes—these new spangled lace robes possess that style exclusiveness so dear to the heart of Milady, embodying all the newest ideas of the season—the waists made very full with the newest sleeve fancies, crushed silk girdle—the skirts made over fine taffeta silk and chiffon. (For sale in costume department.)

FROM the standpoints of practical beauty and price, our stock of women's fall outer garb is absolutely without a peer. Expert knowledge and study have been at work all summer planning for and gathering this stock. In scope and diversity it is fairly colossal. We can interest you for hours—and yet we can please you in no time, so to speak.

24.00 for women's exquisite costumes for evening wear, reception or semi-dress occasions—made of rich crepe de chines, in black, white, blue and brown. The waists are gracefully designed and modeled by master designers—the sleeves are made very full, trimmed with daintiest laces and medallions—the skirts made over fine taffeta silk drop. Your dressmaker would charge you twice as much and not give you nearly as handsome a gown.

5.00 and 10.00 for women's coats that would be good value at $7.50 and $15. Those at $5 are made of fine coverts and fancy mixtures, in tight fitting and loose styles, belted back; new flat stitched collar and combination sleeves; lined with fine quality satin. The $10 coats are strikingly effective models, made of a superior grade of covert, broad shoulder, pleated and belted effects. Both coats are tailored in a splendid manner.

16.50 for women's tourist coats Distinctive new styles just from the fashion designers—made of fine imported coverts and men's cloths; collarless or with flat stitched collars; pleated back with belt; new full sleeves with cuff effect. Real value $20.

18.00 to 75.00 for evening wraps—These have been developed to the point of supreme excellence—more beautiful, aristocratic and exclusive coats you couldn't wish for. White, champagne, burnt orange and biscuit are the prevailing colors. Dainty laces and other trimmings greatly enhance the beauty of these coats.

5.00 for walking skirts—worth $7 and $8. We're always striving to give you just a little more for your money than you expect, as these new walking skirts at 5.00 aptly illustrate. They come in the newest instep length; made of stylish mixtures, cheviots, meltons, suitings, coverts and panamas, in plain tailored styles or pleated, kilted, strapped or button trimmed.

9.98 for $16.50 voile dress skirts—Here's a chance to add one of these elegant skirts to your wardrobe at small outlay. They're exceptionally skillfully tailored models, made of a rich black French voile; trimmed with taffeta straps and made over a fine quality taffeta silk drop.

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AN EX-PIRATE BEATS PIRATES

Irvin Wilhelm Was in Fine Form and Clarke's Men Could Only Make Three Hits.

SOME BRILLIANT FIELDING

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

Boston	2—Pittsburgh		1
New York	5—Chicago		2
Cincinnati	6—Philadelphia		1
St. Louis	4—Brooklyn		2

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
New York	104	39	.727	St. Louis	69	71	.493
Chicago	85	57	.599	Brooklyn	53	92	.366
Pittsburgh	80	59	.576	Boston	51	93	.354
Cincinnati	80	61	.567	Philadelphia	47	96	.329

LEAGUE GAMES TODAY.

Pittsburgh at Boston.
Chicago at New York.
Cincinnati at Philadelphia.
St. Louis at Brooklyn.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

BOSTON, Sept. 27.—In the desperate endeavor to escape the ignominy of being forced into the position of "tail enders" the Boston National leaguers put on steam this afternoon and managed to wrest a hardly won victory from the champions. The men chiefly responsible for this somewhat unique phenomenon was Pitcher Wilhelm, who found himself to be right on "edge" and the clear September weather just to his liking. He let the visitors down with just three hits.

While the errors of the Boston team were numerous they were not costly and were redeemed in almost every instance by some spectacular fielding that dashed Pittsburgh's hopes.

Pitcher Lynch, the ex-Brown university crack, who officiated during that awful afternoon which stood out so vividly when the Pirates paid their last visit to Boston, had no such picnic today. He was very effective, however, except in the unlucky seventh inning, when, after thumping Delehanty in the ribs with a fast inshoot, he allowed two hits, one a smashing double by Geier, which gave the Hubsters two runs and the game.

Pittsburgh had scored in the same inning. Leach walked and tore around to third on Bransfield's grounder to Delehanty. Tenney's return of the ball went somewhere into left field and Tommy came home in a canter. In the next inning Beaumont gave an exhibition of dash and nerve which has made the Pirates famous on the bases. While he was thrown out at the plate, in springing around from second on Needham's bad throw to catch him stealing, it was the sort of play that has won many games for Pittsburgh. Sharp relay work by Geier and Batty nailed this one, however.

In seven out of their eight times at bat Boston had men on bases, but the needful hit was not forthcoming. Twice men went out on strikes with others on second and third. The prize plays of the game were furnished by Bransfield, Ritchey, Lauterborn and Abbattichio.

The same teams play a double-header today. Pittinger and McNichols will be the Boston pitchers, against Robertaille and Case for Pittsburgh. Wagner was kept on the bench, and there were only five Pirates in action who went against the Boston Americans in the world's championship series last fall. The new material Clarke is trying out is of a most promising character, however, and there is not much chance that Tenney's men will win very one-sided games, even with Wagner, Clarke, Phillippe and Leever on the bench. That Pittsburgh is always a great attraction in Boston is proved by the attendance figures today. They jumped from a few beggarly hundreds, which have been the part of the South End park for some months, to 1,692. The unwonted spectacle recalled old championship days. Score:

Pittsb'gh.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Gilbert l.	0	0	0	0	0	Geier m.	0	1	0	1	0
B'mont m.	0	2	1	0	0	Barclay r.	0	1	0	0	0
Ritchey 2.	0	0	2	3	1	Tenney l.	0	0	12	1	1
McCork'k r.	0	0	0	0	0	Abb'chio s.	0	0	4	7	2
Leach 3.	1	0	1	4	0	Cooley l.	0	0	2	0	0
Br'field 1.	0	0	13	2	1	Deleh'ty 2.	1	1	2	1	0
Kruger s.	0	1	2	5	0	Needham c.	0	2	6	2	1
Phelps c.	0	0	3	1	0	Lau'born 2.	1	2	1	2	0
Lynch p.	0	0	2	3	0	Wilhelm p.	0	0	0	3	1
Totals.	1	3	24	18	2	Totals.	2	7	27	17	5

Pittsburgh	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—1
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	*	—	2

Two-base hits—Geier, Delehanty. Kruger. Sacrifice hit—Ritchey. Stolen bases—Beaumont, Lauterborn. First base on balls—Off Wilhelm 2, off Lynch 1. Hit by pitched ball—Delehanty. Struck out—By Wilhelm 5, by Lynch 3. Time of game—1:33. Umpire—Johnstone. Attendance, 1,692.

Ewing Was a Puzzle.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 27.—Ewing's pitching puzzled the locals today. Cincinnati won an easy victory. A combination of hits and errors in the third inning netted the visitors four runs and Fraser retired in favor of Caldwell. Attendance, 846. Score:

Cincin'ti.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Philadel.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Seymo'r m.	1	2	1	0	0	Thomas m.	0	0	0	1	0
Dolan 1.	1	2	10	0	0	Gleason 2.	0	0	1	5	1
Sebring r.	0	1	3	0	0	McGee r.	1	2	0	0	0
Otwell l.	0	0	1	0	0	Lush 1.	0	0	9	0	0
Steinf'dt 3.	0	0	1	1	0	Titus l.	0	1	3	0	0
Corcoran s.	0	0	1	6	1	Hulswitt s.	0	0	5	2	2
Huggins 2.	2	1	2	3	0	Donohue 3.	0	0	0	1	0
Schlei c.	0	1	3	1	0	Roth c.	0	1	9	1	0
Ewing p.	1	0	0	2	0	Fraser p.	0	0	0	1	0
Street c.	1	1	5	2	0	Caldwel p.	0	1	0	1	0
Totals.	6	8	27	15	1	Totals.	1	5	27	12	3

Cincinnati	0	0	4	1	0	0	1	0	0	—6	
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—1	

Three-base hits—Schlei, McGee. Sacrifice hit—Schlei. Home run—Seymour—Stolen base—Hulswitt. Double plays—Roth and Hulswitt; Ewing, Corcoran and Dolan. First base on balls—Off Ewing 2. Hit by pitched ball—Corcoran. Struck out—By Fraser 2, by Ewing 5, by Caldwell 5. Hits off Fraser, 4 in 3 innings, off Caldwell, 4 in 6 innings. Passed ball—Street. Wild pitches—Fraser, Caldwell, Ewing 2. Time of game—1:45. Umpires—Emslie and Moran.

Brooklyn Saved a Shutout.

BROOKLYN, Sept. 27.—For eight innings at Washington park today it looked as if the Brooklyns were to again be shut out, but in the ninth Hanlon's nine managed to bring two men over the plate. The new men on the St. Louis team, Murch, Hill and Butler, all played good ball. Score:

St. Louis.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Brooklyn.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Farrell 2.	0	1	4	1	0	Dillon l.	1	1	0	1	0
Hill 1.	0	2	5	0	0	Gessler m.	1	1	3	0	0
Beckley l.	0	1	9	0	0	Lumley r.	0	0	2	0	0
Murch 3.	0	0	1	2	0	Sheckard l.	0	0	1	0	0
Smoot m.	0	2	0	0	0	Dobbs l.	0	0	1	3	0
Dunle'vy r.	1	1	1	0	0	Babb s.	0	0	0	2	1
Shay s.	0	0	1	2	0	Batch 3.	0	0	1	1	2
Butler c.	0	2	5	1	0	Ritter c.	0	0	1	2	0
M'Far'd p.	1	1	1	4	0	Jordan 2.	0	0	0	4	0
						Scanlon p.	0	0	0	2	0
Totals.	4	10	27	10	0	Totals.	2	4	27	12	3

St. Louis	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	—4	
Brooklyn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	—2	

Two-base hit—Smoot. Three-base hits—McFarland, Dobbs. Sacrifice hit—Jordan. Stolen bases—Ritter, Farrell, Smoot, Lumley, Dunlevy. First base on balls—Off Scanlon 1, off McFarland 4. Struck out—By Scanlon 1, by McFarland 4. Passed ball—Butler. Wild pitch—Scanlon. Time of game—1:32. Umpire—Zimmer. Attendance, 800.

New Record for the Giants.

NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—By defeating Chicago today by the score of 5 to 2 the New York team won its 104th victory, making a new record. Ames pitched excellent ball with men on bases. Three hits, a base on balls and errors by O'Neill and Barry gave New York the game in the first inning. Score:

Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	New York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Shulte 1.	0	2	1	0	0	Donlin l.	1	1	2	0	0
Casey 3.	0	0	1	1	1	Browne r.	1	0	1	0	0
Chance 1.	0	2	11	2	0	McGann 1.	0	1	6	0	0
Barry m.	1	2	2	0	1	Mertes m.	1	1	4	0	0
Tinker s.	0	1	1	3	1	Dahlen s.	1	1	3	2	0
M'C'n'y r.	0	1	3	0	0	Devlin 3.	1	3	1	0	0
Evers 2.	1	1	1	6	0	Dunn 2.	0	1	0	3	1
O'Neill c.	0	2	2	1	2	Warner c.	0	0	10	2	0
Lundg'n p.	0	0	2	0	0	Ames p.	0	0	0	4	0
Totals.	2	12	24	13	4	Totals.	5	8	27	9	1

Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	—2	
New York	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	*	—5	

First base on balls—Off Ames 1, off Lundgren 1. Struck out—By Ames 9, by Lundgren 2. Two-base hits—Barry, Tinker, O'Neill. Stolen bases—Mertes, Devlin, Casey 2. Double play—Casey and Chance. Wild pitch—Ames. Umpires—Carpenter and O'Day. Attendance, 3,800. Time of game—1:50.

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W. U. P. STUDENTS WILL ROOT; SCHOOL TEAMS GET COACHES

When the Western University of Pennsylvania football team appears on the field at Exposition park Saturday afternoon, for its first game of the season, there will be a crowd of rooters present who promise to tear things loose in the rooting line. This will be something of a novelty for the football lovers of this city, who have not had much chance to get a glimpse of the college spirit.

A mass-meeting of the W. U. P. students was held yesterday, at which Wayne McKee, '06, was elected chief rooter, and it was decided to engage a band and have a big parade before the opening game, which takes place with the Grove City college eleven on Saturday. Coach Mosse had 23 players on the field for practice yesterday afternoon, and with Joe Thompson to set the pace, some fast work was done in signal and scrimmage. Miller, the Butler boy, who has been trying for right end, was reported sick at his home. Boisean was tried at right end and showed some fast work.

The East Liberty academy team has finally secured a coach, and he is a good one, being none other than Hudson, the famous Carlisle quarterback, who is now a bank clerk in the East End. Hudson had charge of the players for the first time yesterday afternoon and there was a noticeable improvement in the work. The team will now have regular practice, and a strong eleven may be looked for.

The Pittsburgh High school team has also finally succeeded in securing a competent coach in Hough, who played halfback for the Wash.-Jeff. team last season. The High school squad had its first practice under the new coach yesterday, and some fast work was shown. The practice was falling on the ball and signal work.

COMMISSION ACTS ON CASES OF MANY PLAYERS

Pirates' Reserve List Is Full—League Clubs' Fined for Playing Youngstown—Players Drafted.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CINCINNATI, Sept. 27.—The National Baseball commission, consisting of August Herrmann, president of the commission; President Johnson of the American league and President Pulliam of the National league, met here today and passed on contested and disputed cases in the drafting list.

Brooklyn was fined $100 for playing an exhibition game with Youngstown August 26. Wheeling made complaint that Youngstown harbored ineligible and blacklisted players, and the commission not only sustained Wheeling's charges, but announced that fines for such offenses in the future would be much higher.

David Brain, infielder of the St. Louis National club, was awarded one-third of the $3,500 that Buffalo secured for his release in February, 1903.

Of contested cases in the respective reserve lists the following drafts were allowed: By Detroit (American), Thomas from Minneapolis; Carr, Dickey, Fisher, Swander, Cromley, from Indianapolis. By Boston (American), Olmsted from Columbus. By New York (American), McManus from Buffalo; Yeager from Montreal. By Cleveland (American), Hickey, Mullarkey and Friel from Columbus; Kaul from Colorado Springs; Vincent from Providence; McAllister and Gettman from Buffalo. By Pittsburgh (National), McBride from St. Joseph; Robertaille from Troy, N. Y.; Archer from Boone, Ia. By Brooklyn (National), Owens from Springfield, Mass.; Mourney, Clymer from Buffalo; Kelley, Burchell, Wiltsie, Adkins, Lewis, Jordan, Jones, Jenkins, Mason, Byers and Heydon from Baltimore.

On allowing the above 11 players to Brooklyn from Baltimore there was a majority vote, Herrmann and Pulliam in the affirmative and Johnson in the negative. The commission, however, unanimously adopted a resolution that while existing rules were technically complied with in the Brooklyn-Baltimore deal, yet the commission felt that the finding was unjust to the players, and recommended that the rules be so amended as to provide against any such transactions in the future.

Secretary Bruce gave out a complete list of all players reserved by the Pittsburgh club. It is as follows: James Archer, C. H. Beaumont, William Bransfield, Fred Bridges, H. Camnitz, F. C. Carrisch, C. E. Case, H. D. Cassady, William Clancy, Fred C. Clarke, Ernest G. Diehl, P. J. Flaherty, J. R. Gilbert, Clyde Goodwin, C. A. Kruger, G. C. Land, Thomas W. Leach, Samuel Leever, V. A. Lindaman, Michael J. Lynch, George F. McBride, George McConnell, H. E. McCormick, E. J. Phelps, C. Phillippe, C. C. Ritchey, A. Robertaille, Ralph Savidge, H. Smith, L. O. Smith and John Wagner.

Will Meet Local Elevens.

WASHINGTON, PA., Sept. 27.—(Special.)—The schedule for the W. and J. academy team which defeated Allegheny High school in the opening game last Saturday has been completed as follows: October 1, Shadyside academy at Pittsburgh; October 8, Pittsburgh High school at Washington; October 19, Sewickley High school at Washington; October 22, East Liberty academy at Washington; November 2 and November 13, open; November 19, Washington High school at Washington. James P. Brownlee, a former W. and J. halfback, is coaching the academy team.

Excursion to Cumberland October 2nd.

$2.00 round trip. Special train leaves Baltimore & Ohio station, Pittsburgh, 7:00 a. m.

FINE SPORT PROMISED ON THE SCHENLEY TRACK

Seven Events Are on the Program and the Best Horses Have Been Matched.

Out at Schenley park this afternoon there is a promise of some fine racing, as the card made up by the Matinee club contains seven events and the best horses have been matched. The races will be called promptly at 1:30.

An invitation has been extended to the members of the State Medical society, which is in session at Carnegie institute this week. Final arrangements are being made by the club for their entertainment. Part of the seating has been reserved for them. Dr. J. C. McCormick and Dr. Paul H. Franklin, members of the club, will look after their entertainment. The events and entries:

Event No. 1, trot—Othello, blk. m., R. C. Hall; Margaret M., br. m., H. J. Hayer; Nancy Medium, b. m., H. J. Mayer; Isabella B., b. m., W. J. Morris; Plumber Boy, br. h., ——.

Event No. 2, pace—R. Russell, br. g., C. Gallenz; Kitty Wilkins, b. m., P. S. Randolph; Commodore Dewey, b. g., William Robinson; Grey Dick, g. h., John Werner.

Event No. 3, trot—Welshod, g. g., E. Kern; Col. Walker, b. g., Alfred McDonald; Buster Brown, s. g., James Garland; Katherine K., blk. m., George M. Kosor; Hartford, Jr., s. g., W. J. Moore; Molly G., b. m., E. K. Thumm.

Event No. 4, pace—Lady Watson, b. m., A. J. Colman; Harry M., b. g., G. N. Moore; Dandy B., br. g., M. J. Farrell.

Event No. 5, trot—Mr. Expo, b. h., J. T. Kern; Robert Alfred, br. h., T. J. Tope; Barry B., b. g., William McFarland; Twilight, g. g., William Robinson; Miss Weitzell, b. m., F. H. Evans.

Event No. 6, pace—Glad Boy, blk. g., F. Mellon; Red Dawn, r. h., H. M. Mayer; Romancer D., b. g., J. L. Ketter; Avon Mack, g. g., G. M. Koser.

Event No. 7, pace—Gipsy Boy, r. g., E. H. Smith; Prince, b. g., S. E. Calhoun; Alice L., r. m., P. R. Evans; Robert K., b. g., C. W. Gill; Black R., blk. m., P. M. Franklin; Ned, b. g., G. Evans.

Cleveland 3—Boston 1.

CLEVELAND, O., Sept. 27.—Boston did not get a hit off Rhoades today until after two men were retired in the ninth inning. Cleveland won in the eighth when, with Flick on first, Lajoie hit into the right field bleachers for a home run. Boston's one run was secured on a pass, a steal, Ostdick's wild throw and an out. Vinson, the leading hitter of the Eastern league, made his first appearance with Cleveland. Score:

Cle'land.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Lush m.	0	0	3	0	0	Selbach l.	0	0	0	0	0
Bradley 3.	0	1	0	1	1	Parent s.	1	0	1	4	1
Flick r.	2	1	1	0	0	Stahl m.	0	1	1	0	0
Lajoie 2.	1	2	4	4	0	Collins 3.	0	0	1	3	0
Stovall 1.	0	1	7	2	1	Freeman r.	0	0	1	0	0
Turner s.	0	0	1	3	0	Lachance 1.	0	0	11	0	0
Vinson l.	0	0	3	0	0	Ferris 2.	0	0	4	4	0
Ostdick c.	0	0	8	1	1	Criger c.	0	0	5	0	0
Rhoades p.	0	0	0	1	0	Gibson p.	0	0	0	1	1
Totals.	3	5	27	12	3	Totals.	1	1	24	12	2

Cleveland	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	*—3	
Boston	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	—1	

Home run—Lajoie. Sacrifice hit—La Chance. Stolen bases—Stovall, Ostdick, Parent. Double plays—Lajoie, Stovall and Turner; Ostdick and Lajoie; Lajoie, Turner, Stovall and Lajoie. First base on balls—Off Rhoades 4, off Gibson 2. Struck out—By Rhoades 7, by Gibson 4. Time of game—1:30. Umpire—Sheridan. Attendance, 1,824.

CHILDISH PLAY COST THE GAME

Pitcher Mullin Kicked Himself Out of Contest and Highlanders Won in Eleventh.

WANTED TO MOB THE UMPIRE

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

New York	4—Detroit		1
Cleveland	3—Boston		1
Chicago	2—Washington		1
St. Louis	4-0—Philadelphia		2-0

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	87	54	.617	Cleveland	79	62	.547
New York	84	53	.613	St. Louis	60	78	.435
Chicago	82	59	.582	Detroit	56	82	.406
Philadelphia	74	80	.532	Washington	34	104	.246

AMERICAN GAMES TODAY.

Boston at Cleveland.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.
New York at Detroit.
Washington at Chicago.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

DETROIT, Sept. 27.—New York won a hard-fought 11-inning game from Detroit today. Umpire O'Loughlin's work displeased the crowd to such an extent as to almost cause a riot. Mullin and Chesbro were about equal in effectiveness. Donovan was again put out of the game and Mullin was also ejected for throwing his glove at O'Loughlin in the 11th. New York batted in the runs after that. Attendance 1,200. Score:

Detroit.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	New York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Barrett m.	0	0	2	0	0	Do'herty	1	2	1	0	0
M'intyre	1	0	2	1	0	Keeler r.	0	0	3	1	0
Coughlin	3	0	1	2	0	Elberfd s.	2	0	2	8	0
Robin'n s.	0	0	2	4	0	Williams 2.	1	0	3	4	1
Crawf'd	r. 1	2	2	0	0	Ganzal 1.	0	1	18	1	0
Beville 1-c.	0	0	19	1	0	Conroy 3.	0	1	1	6	0
Lowe 2.	0	0	3	4	0	And'son m.	0	0	3	1	0
Drill c.	0	0	8	2	0	McGuire c.	0	1	7	0	0
Mullin p.	0	2	0	5	1	Chesbro p.	0	0	0	4	0
Donovan	1	0	0	0	0						
*Hoffm'n	0	0	0	0	0						
Stovall	1	0	0	0	0						
Raym'd p.	0	0	1	0	0						
Totals.	1	7	33	20	2	Totals.	4	9	33	24	1

*Batted for Drill in the ninth.

Detroit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0—1
New York	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3—4

Two-base hits—Crawford, Mullin. Sacrifice hits—Robinson, Anderson, Williams, Beville, Keeler. Bases on balls—Off Mullin 1, off Chesbro 2. First base on errors—Detroit 1, New York 2. Struck out—By Mullin 2, by Raymond 1, by Chesbro 4. Passed balls—Drill 1, Beville 1. Time of game—2:10. Umpire—O'Loughlin.

Chicago 2—Washington 1.

CHICAGO, Sept. 27.—With the score a tie Smith scored the winning run on his two-bagger, followed by O'Neill's error in the eighth inning. The game was a pitchers' battle with both men working at full speed, and but for that unlucky error would have resulted in a tie. Attendance, 2,469. Score:

Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Wash'ton.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Green r.	0	1	2	0	0	O'Neill m.	0	2	1	1	1
Jones m.	0	0	0	0	0	Hill 3.	0	1	2	2	0
Callahan	1	0	1	0	0	Stahl l.	0	0	14	0	0
Davis s.	0	1	2	5	0	Huelsm'n	1	0	0	0	0
Sullivan c.	0	0	4	3	0	Nill 2.	0	0	2	1	0
Tan'hill	3	0	3	0	1	Cassidy s.	0	1	2	4	1
Isbell l.	0	0	12	2	0	Donovan r.	0	1	1	0	0
Dundon 2.	1	1	2	3	0	Clarke c.	1	0	2	2	0
Smith p.	1	1	1	3	0	Hughes p.	0	1	0	5	0
Totals.	2	4	27	16	1	Totals.	1	6	24	15	2

Chicago	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	*	—2	
Washington	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1	

Two-base hits—Smith, Hughes. Sacrifice hits—Hill, Hughes. Stolen bases—Sullivan, Stahl, Cassidy. Hit by pitched ball—Stahl, Clarke. Struck out—By Smith 3, by Hughes 1. Bases on balls—Off Smith 1, off Hughes 1. Passed ball—Sullivan. Wild pitch—Smith. Time of game—1:40. Umpire—Connolly.

St. Louis 4-0—Philadelphia 2-0.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 27.—Although outhit in both games, St. Louis today won one and succeeded in tieing one in a double header with Philadelphia. Bender pitched a magnificent game in the second contest, allowing only five hits and striking out 11 men. The second game was called at the end of the tenth inning on account of darkness. Attendance, 2,500. Scores:

FIRST GAME.

St. Louis.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Philadel.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Burkett l.	1	1	4	1	1	Bruce l.	0	1	0	0	0
Heid'ck m.	1	0	4	1	0	Hartsel m.	1	2	2	0	1
Wallace s.	0	1	0	4	0	L. Cross 3.	0	0	1	1	1
Hynes r.	1	1	2	0	0	Seybold r.	1	2	1	0	0
Jones 1.	0	1	8	0	0	Murphy 2.	0	2	4	5	1
Padden 2.	1	1	2	2	0	Mullin l.	0	1	3	3	0
Moran 3.	0	0	2	3	0	Noonan c.	0	1	4	1	1
Sugden c.	0	1	5	0	0	M. Cross s.	0	0	0	4	0
Siever p.	0	1	0	4	0	Henley p.	0	0	2	3	1
						Schreck c.	0	0	1	0	0
Totals.	4	7	27	18	1	Totals.	2	9	24	17	5

St. Louis	1	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	*	—4	
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	—2	

Two-base hit—Jones. Three-base hit—Hartsel. Sacrifice hits—Padden, Moran. Double plays—M. Cross, Murphy and Mullin. Stolen bases—Heidrick. Bases on balls—Off Henley 2, off Siever 4. Struck out—By Siever 3, by Henley 3. Time of game—1:31. Umpires—King and Dwyer.

SECOND GAME.

St. Louis.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Philadel.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Burkett l.	0	1	4	0	0	Bruce l.	0	1	0	0	0
Heid'ck m.	0	0	2	2	0	Hartsel m.	0	2	0	0	0
Wallace s.	0	1	2	7	0	L. Cross 3.	0	1	0	1	0
Hynes r.	0	1	0	0	0	Seybold r.	0	1	0	0	0
Jones 1.	0	2	14	2	0	Murphy 2.	0	3	3	5	2
Padden 2.	0	0	3	4	0	Mullin l.	0	1	15	0	0
Moran 3.	0	0	1	2	0	Schreck c.	0	1	1	2	0
Sugden c.	0	0	4	1	0	M. Cross s.	0	1	1	3	0
Sudhoff p.	0	0	0	3	0	Bender p.	0	0	0	1	0
*Hemphill	0	0	0	0	0						
Totals.	0	5	80	19	0	Totals.	0	11	30	12	2

*Batted for Moran in the ninth inning.

St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0	
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0	

Sacrifice hits—Jones, Mullin. Double plays—Murphy and Mullin; Wallace, Padden and Jones. Stolen bases—Heidrick, Hartsel 2, Burkett, Jones. Bases on balls—Off Sudhoff 1, off Bender 1. Struck out—by Sudhoff 4, by Bender 11. Time of game—1:50. Umpires—King and Dwyer.

Will Be Eight-Club League.

At a meeting of the Western Pennsylvania Basketball league last night it was decided to increase the membership to eight teams. Any first-class team desiring admission to this league, address J. Will Luckhardt, Oliver avenue, city.

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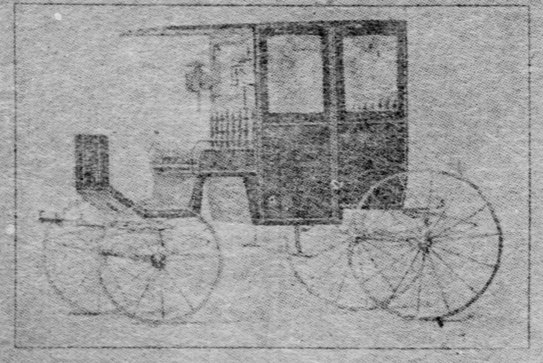

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YOUNG GIRL GETS $8,000 DAMAGES

J. Henry Jahn on Trial Charged With Forging Name to a Deed.

HORSE THIEF IS SENTENCED

Clara Schmidt, Jr., by her mother, Clara Schmidt, secured a verdict of $8,000 in her suit against the Kelly & Jones Company, which is the case in which $20,000 damages were asked for injuries received by the plaintiff in leaping from the fourth floor of the defendants' building in Water street, when all avenues of escape below had been closed. The suit was instituted under an act of assembly which compels owners of buildings to provide external fire escapes. Miss Schmidt was represented by Attorneys J. L. Ritchey and D. S. McCann, while Ralph Bros. looked after the interests of the defendant company.

J. Henry Jahn was tried for forgery. The trial took up almost the entire day, the jury going out in the afternoon. When court adjourned the verdict had not been returned. The charge was based on the transfer of a piece of property in the Thirteenth ward, Allegheny, owned by George Asselmeyer and wife. It is claimed Jahn was given charge of the property, that it was deeded to Barbara Wigley, a sister-in-law of Jahn, and subsequently to John J. Millen. The commonwealth claimed that the Asselmeyers had never signed a deed.

Mrs. Asselmeyer denied that she had signed the deed or several other papers shown her. She admitted that Miller told her he owned the house and she had several times paid him $15, but denied that it was for rent. She first learned that she did not own the property when she tried to sell it. Jahn and his wife had visited her last week and wanted her to sign a paper saying she had signed the deed, but she refused.

Daughter Denied Signing Papers.

Edith Asselmeyer, a daughter, denied the signature as a witness to several papers purporting to have been signed by her parents.

Barbara Wigley, Mrs. Jahn's sister, testified she had never owned the Asselmeyer property, never paid the Asselmeyers any money and could not recall having ever signed a deed transferring it to Mrs. Eleanor Miller. She had acknowledged two papers for Jahn. One was before a notary in Allegheny and the other was in the office of an attorney.

In opening for the defense John S. Robb, Esq., said the property was bought for Mrs. Jahn, who asked Miss Wigley to put it in her name. H. W. Armstrong testified that he had collected rent from the Asselmeyers for Mrs. Miller. Benjamin Peterson said he had served a writ on the property, and Mrs. Asselmeyer said they did not own it.

Mrs. Jahn testified she had asked her sister to let the title be put in her name. She identified the signatures of Mr. and Mrs. Asselmeyer. She identified one paper, but it was a mistake and was withdrawn and another substituted which she identified. Her reason for placing the title in her sister's name was that she desired to pay some judgments before she took title.

Jahn swore all the signatures were correct. He gave an account of the whole transaction and produced papers to show he was right. On cross-examination he made an attack on Attorney W. M. Price, saying he was the real prosecutor. The court stopped him and said his counsel could argue the case.

The defense offered in evidence two leases, an agreement for the purchase of the property and some receipts received by Mrs. Asselmeyer.

Contradicted Mrs. Jahn's Testimony.

In rebuttal the commonwealth placed five members of the Asselmeyer family on the stand, each testifying Mrs. Jahn was not with her husband and had not been in their house until a few days ago, directly contradicting her story that she had seen Mrs. Asselmeyer sign the deed.

In addressing the jury Attorney John Robb said the jurors should not take into consideration anything they had heard about Jahn previously, as he was unfortunate in being accused of numerous things of which he was not guilty.

Frank A. Howard and others entered a bill in equity against the borough of Swissvale and the Welsbach Street Lighting Company of America to restrain the company from beginning operations for lighting the streets of Swissvale. It is alleged the company secured a contract from the councils, which was not regular.

Judge Buffington, in the case of the Rogers Sand Company against the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago Railway Company, handed down an opinion. The action was a libel in admiralty filed by the libellant to recover for the loss of its steamboat, Margaret, which was destroyed on December 24, 1902, at the respondent's bridge crossing the Allegheny river at Eleventh street. The court dismisses the libel and releases the respondent from all claims because the obstructions were lawfully placed in the channel to support the bridge.

Contests Over Estates.

The will contest in the estate of John C. Lappe, deceased, was resumed yesterday and occupied the day without a conclusion being reached.

F. O. Goodwin and Ethel Hunter yesterday began equity proceedings against Mary Jane Colwell, executrix, and others to prevent the sale of city property and for a decree allowing the plaintiffs a certain interest. The proceedings involve the will of Mary McKinley, a former resident of Armstrong county, who died a number of years ago. Mary J. Colwell is executrix under the will of Elizabeth McKinley, deceased, executrix of the estate of Mary McKinley.

James Freer pleaded guilty to a charge of horse stealing and was sent to the workhouse for one year and six months. The charge was made by H. O. Morris of McKeesport. Louis Beck was acquitted of a charge of receiving the stolen property.

John Flinn pleaded no defense to a charge of robbery and was sentenced to serve six months in the workhouse.

The following executions were issued yesterday: D. Lutz & Son Brewing Company vs. William E. Shoultice, $528; Thomas W. McBride vs. Union Legal Protective Association et al., $366; Max Miller vs. William Grant et al., $58 08; Highland Brewing Company vs. Otto Becker, $1,409.

Judge Kennedy sustains the demurrer in the equity suit of George Ellsworth and other stockholders against the Penn Amusement Stamp Company and other stockholders. The action was to compel the payment of balances alleged to be due on the stock subscriptions of some of the stockholders.

Grand Jury Returns.

The following true bills were returned by the grand jury: Felony, Joseph Homa; fraudulently making written instrument, M. Bobun, Lee Long; embezzlement, Asa P. Davis, Samuel Hazlett, Jr., Joseph Solomon, A. M. Woodsworth; libel, Joseph Greys (2); felonious assault and battery, George Pendleton, Charles Rowley; aggravated assault and battery, James Hamilton; assault and battery, Thomas Conners, Pavalo Drledzinckl, S. Eskow, Joseph Friend et al., Samuel McPherson; larceny, Joseph Dietrich et al., Ell Frazier, Charles Stinson, Julia Stern, Daniel E. Yohn, Mary E. Yohn; larceny by bailee, Emma Frank; misdemeanor, Mike Bosnitz, E. J. Beckdel, Joseph Greys, Joseph Prince, Louis Phillips, Daniel E. Yohn; receiving stolen goods, Louis Phillips, Isaac Silverman.

ESTATE IS NOT LARGE.

George S. Fleming's Death Makes His Share in Father's Estate Revert to Sisters.

As stated in The Gazette, the estate of George S. Fleming will fall far below its supposed value of $400,000 or more, as a number of claims against the estate will reduce it greatly. An examination of the will of his father, Joseph Fleming, shows that George S. Fleming had only a life interest in his father's estate and that this share reverts to his sisters, Mrs. Martha F. Rutan, Mrs. Annie F. Richardson and Mrs. Gilbert Hays.

Joseph Fleming created a trust in his will and put all of his estate in it. Its term was 15 years and the trust expires next May. Had George S. Fleming lived until that time he would have received one-fourth of his father's estate absolutely, but the will provided that should any of the heirs die before that time, the share of the deceased was to revert to the survivors. The business went to George S. Fleming, but the real estate, which is now very valuable, was placed in the trust. Mr. Fleming carried heavy life insurance, $40,000 in the Equitable, but this policy he assigned to James M. Guffey to secure payment on notes aggregating $50,000. The Equitable has paid the principal to Mr. Guffey, who, it is said, still has a $10,000 claim against the estate.

The estate is sufficient to meet all indebtedness and still leave a residue for the legatees. But it is said if the $25,000 left to Mr. Brennen is a first charge against the estate, the residue will be small. It is understood the bequest to Mr. Brennen is in payment of professional services standing a number of years, and includes the handling of the estate, which would make it a first charge.

WITNESS TO TEST LAW.

Tuberculosis Following Imprisonment Will Lead to Suit for Damages Against Officials.

Robert Shorter of Atwood street, who was confined in jail 121 days as a witness in the case in which Ben Kelly was charged with having shot and killed Charles Allen, is said to be dying of tuberculosis. Attorney John D. Watson will make a test case in a suit either against the county or the coroner to determine the legality of committing a witness to jail merely on the recommendation of a jury. Watson will also sue on behalf of Cody Jones, another witness confined in jail, but who has not suffered so much from such confinement as Shorter.

The attorney alleges Shorter went to jail a strong, healthy man, and from the overcrowded condition of the jail was compelled to sleep on a cement floor, because the county failed to provide a sufficient number of cots.

Shorter and Jones are teamsters. They happened to be at 2272 Second avenue on Decoration day, when Kelly shot and killed Allen. They had no part in it, but were merely onlookers. Both were arrested by the police and the coroner's jury recommended that they be held as witnesses. The criminal laws of the state provide that no witness shall be committed to jail where he supplies a proper

Coroner McGeary said he had no doubt as to his authority to commit persons as witnesses until they are wanted to testify. He says after he sends them to jail it is up to the court to release them.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

Anthony Larney	Pittsburgh
Elizabeth Conwell	Pittsburgh
Archie J. Hamilton	Port Perry
Mary L. McCloskey	Port Perry
Chester C. Anderson	Homestead
Estelle McClain	East McKeesport
Frank J. Augert	Munhall
Eddie Hilgart	Homestead
Charles Alden	Hornellsville, N. Y.
Laura E. Ashton	Wilkinsburg
Anthony J. Dietrich	Pittsburgh
Annie M. Kerle	Pittsburgh
Ernest A. Fries	Pittsburgh
Annie Greaves	Pittsburgh
George McCombs	Wheeling, W. Va.
Katherine Fallon	Pittsburgh
Charles Jackson	Latrobe
Aro Richardson	Pittsburgh
J. C. Browne	Wilkinsburg
Rosa A. Jackson	Pittsburgh
Arthur Brady	Allegheny
Edna Brinker	Allegheny
John E. Robinson	Monessen
Cora Sheets	Allenport
John I. Patlos	Pittsburgh
Magdalen K. Schnupp	Pittsburgh
Samuel Greenfield	McKeesport
Annie Weisz	McKeesport
Alfred R. Hungeker	Allegheny
Charlotte C. Parker	Allegheny
Nathan Cobbs	Pittsburgh
Lottie Hawkins	Pittsburgh
Henry Dietz	Wall Rose
Marie Vogler	Millvale
Ira H. Cain	New Sheffield
Rosa A. Leitsch	New Sheffield
Alexander P. McElhesney	Pittsburgh
Emma W. Quinn	Pittsburgh
John H. Prince	Allegheny
Christina Yake	Allegheny
Ernest T. McVicker	Pittsburgh
Eva L. Wagner	Pittsburgh
J. H. Larson	San Francisco
Emma E. Weaver	Clinton, Pa.
James G. Dixon	Pittsburgh
Rose A. Dougherty	Castle Shannon
Guy C. Will	McDonald
Stella M. Snyder	Knoxville
Albert E. Kennedy	Pittsburgh
Hanna J. McMonagle	Banksville
Leo E. Laug	Sharpsburg
Dorothea Bleok	Etna
Patrick O. Cershin	Pittsburgh
Alice Poland	Pittsburgh
George S. Jones	Braddock
Katherine Bollman	Braddock
Peter L. Yates	Pittsburgh
Helen W. Robinson	Pittsburgh
Howard G. Smith	Pittsburgh
Lillie M. Murphy	Pittsburgh
W. H. Gribble	Wilkinsburg
Katherine Hartmeyer	Wilkinsburg
Thomas Nee	McKeesport
Selma Johnson	McKeesport

"The Sultan of Sulu."

"The Sultan of Sulu" and his retinue of courtiers, galaxy of beautiful wives and native dancing girls, together with officials and men of the American army will be seen at the Nixon theater next week. The sale of seats for this engagement begins tomorrow.

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SOCIETY

A WEDDING of interest occurring in Wilkinsburg last evening was the marriage of Miss Dorothea V. Weinman, daughter of the millionaire coal merchant, Jacob T. Weinman, and William P. John of Philadelphia. The marriage was solemnized at 6 o'clock, the Rev. Dr. Thomas Parry, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Wilkinsburg, officiating.

It was a quiet home wedding, the guests numbering about 100, consisting almost entirely of relatives and friends from out-of-town, with a few of the most intimate friends of the bride in Wilkinsburg and Pittsburgh. The ceremony was performed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Weinman, in Franklin street, which was handsomely decorated with palms and a profusion of tropical plants and vines. Green was the dominating color in the decorations. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Belle Weinman, and Dr. J. S. Crawford of Ingram was the best man. The engagement of the maid of honor and the best man was announced some time ago and may terminate in a wedding within the year.

The bridal gown was a beautiful creation, fashioned of soft white material and trimmed with exquisite lace. The bride wore no veil. Her bouquet was composed of white roses. The maid of honor wore a white robe, finished with lace, and carried a large bouquet of pink roses.

After the supper Mr. and Mrs. John left on their wedding trip, and will make their home in Philadelphia, where Mr. John is practicing law. Among the guests last evening were State Auditor General Snyder. Mrs. Snyder and their daughter of Chester county, who are relatives of the bridegroom.

The ribbon bearers were Le Roy Cratty and Leo Weinman, little nephews of the bride.

Others in attendance were Arthur Colville, James S. Alcorn, Cornelius W. Van Artsdaen, George H. Stein and Harold Baker, all of Philadelphia; the Misses Annie, Mercy and Elizabeth Friday of Mountsville, Pa.; John S. Friday, Miss Cillian Quigley of Harrisburg, and Mrs. Sarah Beard of Philadelphia.

Price-DuBray.

The Friendship Methodist Episcopal church was the scene last evening of the wedding of Miss Olive Elizabeth Price, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Price of Mathilda street, and Arthur B. DuBray, formerly of Cincinnati. The Rev. Dr. R. I. McKee, pastor of the church, performed the ceremony at 8:30 o'clock. The bridal party included Miss Katherine Price, maid of honor; Miss Sarah Price and Miss Lillian Graff, bridesmaids; Bailey G. Fogerty, a student at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in Boston, best man, and LeRoy Carpenter and Frank Myler, ushers. The bride wore a gown of white crepe de chine and lace and carried white roses. She was given away by her father. The maid of honor carried American Beauty roses and wore a gown of cream voile. White organdie was used for the bridesmaids' gowns, which were prettily trimmed with valenciennes lace. Their flowers were roses. The decorations at the church consisted of white asters and palms. The asters were placed in standards up the aisles and the palms banked the pulpit.

Owing to the illness of the bride's mother there was no reception following the ceremony, the bride and bridegroom leaving immediately for St. Louis and other western points. Before returning to make their home in Wilkinsburg they will visit Mr. DuBray's parents in Cincinnati. At home days in Wallace avenue, Wilkinsburg, after October 15 have been announced.

Celebrated Twelfth Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. William Loftus Monro of Wallingford street, Shadyside, gave a pretty dinner at the Pittsburgh Country club last evening, in celebration of the twelfth anniversary of their marriage. Covers were laid for 14, the guests including Mr. and Mrs. George N. Monro, parents of the host; Mr. and Mrs. J. Monro, parents of the hostess; Miss Alice C. Bedell, parents of the hostess; Miss Alice Monro and her house guest, Miss Sarah Monro of London, England; Mr. and Mrs. James Duncan Monroe, George N. Monro, Jr., Miss Winifred Bedell and Mr. and Mrs. Henry D. Scully.

Mr. and Mrs. Monro were married on September 27, 1892, in the First Presbyterian church of Carnegie, the bride being Miss Violet Bedell. They have two children, William Loftus Monro, Jr., and Charles Bedell Monro.

Ladies of G. A. R. Lawn Fete.

The members of the Col. Ellsworth Circle, No. 42, Ladies of the G. A. R., gave a lawn fete and progressive euchre last evening at the home of Mrs. Sarah McQuillen in Broad street, East End. In addition to the euchre there was music. The committees in charge of the affair were the following: Decoration: Mrs. Martin, Miss Rose Smith, Mrs. McQuillon. Ice cream and cake: Mrs. Kennedy, Mrs. Klingsleiter and Miss Hopkins. Games: Mrs. Batchelor, Mrs. Rumley, Mrs. McClaren, Mrs. Hays and Mrs. Skyles. Euchre: Mrs. Kennedy, Mrs. Brennen, Mrs. Boyle and Mrs. George W. Miller. Lunch: Mrs. Stonerod, Mrs. Mattie Gelston, Mrs. McNulty and Mrs. Annie Smith. Doorkeepers for the euchre: Miss Hopkins, Mrs. Stubbs and Mrs. Langstaff.

Wedding Invitations Are Out.

Invitations were issued yesterday for the marriage of Miss Lydia Cathern Elizabeth Sawert, daughter of Frank William Sawert of South St. Clair street, and Dr. Leander Miller Seaton to take place on Tuesday, October 18, in St. Andrew's Evangelical Lutheran church, Center and Morewood avenues. The ceremony at 8 o'clock will be followed by a small wedding supper and reception at Mr. Sawert's home. Miss Nellie Sawert and Miss Clara Seaton, sisters of the bridal couple, have been chosen as maids of honor and the bridesmaids will be Miss Elizabeth McKenna, Miss Mary Hays, Miss Laura Hammer and Miss Delia Nieman. There will also be a best man and ushers. Dr. Seaton and his bride have not decided where they will live.

McKeever-Hamden Nuptials.

WASHINGTON, PA., Sept. 27.—(Special.)—At noon today Miss Esther McKeever, daughter of Mrs. Minnie McKeever, and Arthur De Witt Harnden of New York were married at the home of the bride's mother in the presence of 75 guests. The officiating clergyman was the Rev. Dr. P. H. Rose of the Presbyterian church of Waverley, N. Y. Miss McKeever was unattended. The best man was Dr. Harry Fish of Waverley. The bride was given away by her uncle, Charles S. Caldwell of Washington. Mr. and Mrs. Harnden left for New York this evening on their honeymoon and will live in Brooklyn. The bride is a granddaughter of the late A. B. Caldwell. Mr. Harnden is a young attorney associated with former Governor Black in New York.

Daly-Eichenlaub.

In St. Mary's Roman Catholic church, with the Rev. F. L. Tobin officiating, the wedding of Miss Ida Isabel Daly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Daly of Main street, Lawrenceville, and Edward B. Eichenlaub took place yesterday morning. Miss Hilda Eichenlaub, a sister of the bridegroom was the bride's only attendant, the bridal party also including the best man, J. Edgar Daly, and the ushers, George V. Daly and John H. Daly, cousins of the bride from Kingston, Canada, and Frank McCabe and Eugene Eichenlaub. Mr. and Mrs. Eichenlaub are now on their wedding trip at the conclusion of which they will be at home in Forty-fourth street, Lawrenceville.

A Quiet Home Wedding.

Among the quiet weddings of next month will be that of Miss Sarah Iona Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Miller of Atlantic avenue, East End, and Harry Allen Miller, also of Pittsburgh, which will take place at the home of the bride's parents on Wednesday evening, October 12. The Rev. William Coleman of West Alexander, who officiated at the weddings of the bride's mother and father and of her sister, Mrs. Donald McNeil, will perform the ceremony, and there will be no attendants. A few days after the wedding Mr. and Mrs. Miller expect to leave for the west, where they will spend the winter in travel.

Notes of Travelers.

Harry Graham Brown and his children arrived at their home in Forbes street yesterday morning, having left Mrs. Brown and her mother, Mrs. J. J. Pugsley of Hillsboro in New York. Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Pugsley will return to Pittsburgh on Thursday. They spent the summer in Point Pleasant, N. J.

Mrs. Reuben Miller of Fifth avenue, and her two daughters, Miss Ruth Miller and Miss Lois Miller, are making a short shopping trip in New York. They are expected home on Friday.

Miss Agnes Mahon of Philadelphia is the house guest of her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. William Irwin Mustin of Shady avenue.

Home from the Holy Land.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl of Grand Rapids, Mich., a brother-in-law and sister of Mrs. David Breed, are spending a few days with Dr. and Mrs. Breed at their home in Dithridge street, Bellefield. Mr. and Mrs. Earl have just reached America after almost a year's absence traveling throughout Europe. They were in the Hold Land taking the Mediterranean trip, and traveling through the different countries bordering upon it. During the spring and summer they slowly went north through Italy, Germany and France, following the beaten paths of travel through the continent and the British Islands.

Reception for Pastor and Wife.

IRWIN, PA., Sept. 27.—(Special.)—More than 200 people this evening attended the reception tendered by the congregation of the Methodist Episcopal church to their pastor and his bride, the Rev. and Mrs. J. W. G. Fast, who have returned from a two months' European tour. Addresses were made by the Rev. E. E. Poxton of the United Presbyterian church; the Rev. U. C. Gutelius of the Reformed church and the Rev. S. E. Herbster of the Lutheran church. Guests were present from Pittsburgh and many nearby places.

Innovation at the Country Club.

An innovation is to be introduced at the Pittsburgh Country club on Sunday. A table d'hote dinner will be served and at 8 o'clock a sacred concert will be given by the Mendelssohn trio. This will be a feature of the winter's entertainment. Heretofore there has been music only on Thursday evenings. Among the members who will give small dinners at the club tomorrow evening are John Hubbard, Thomas B. Atterbury and Nelson Young.

Parker-Hunzeker.

The Rev. John A. Jayne officiated last evening at the wedding of Miss Charlotte B. Parker, daughter of the late Dr. S. E. Parker of Naples, N. Y., and Albert R. Hunzeker of Allegheny. The wedding took place very quietly at the home of the officiating minister in Chester avenue, Allegheny. The bridal couple was unattended. After October 10 Mr. and Mrs. Hunzeker will be at home in Perrysville avenue, Allegheny.

Farewell to Miss Hawes.

Mrs. John A. Bell, president of the Women's Foreign Missionary society of the Presbyterian church, announces a farewell meeting in honor of Miss Charlotte Hawes, which will be held this morning at 10:30 o'clock in the First Presbyterian church, Arch street, Allegheny. Miss Hawes will leave for China on October 3.

Hoerle-Goetz Wedding.

At Johnstown yesterday afternoon Miss Mary Mae Hoerle of Johnstown and Charles Goetz of Tarentum were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Hoerle, by the Rev. W. O. Onshultz. Mr. and Mrs. Goetz will be at home in Second avenue, Tarentum.

Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt Entertain.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27.—At luncheon today the president and Mrs. Roosevelt entertained Secretary Taft, Attorney-General Moody, Senator Alger of Michigan and J. C. Rose.

Notes of Society.

The last in the series of garden parties at the Brighton Country club took place last evening.

The first of the winter dances to be given under the auspices of the East End lyceum will be held next Tuesday evening in the South Highland auditorium. The dance is in charge of M. T. Boyle, R. F. Langan, Charles W. Flynn, J. W. McGuire, F. J. Brady, L. E. Brady and A. E. Helbling.

Mr. and Mrs. Horatio Page Warden of Pasadena, Cal., are the house guests of Mrs. Warden's sister, Mrs. Alexander Laughlin of Quaker Valley.

AMONG THE CLUBS

The Travelers Club's Reunion.

The first reunion this season of the members of the Travelers' club occurred yesterday after three months' separation, when some were traveling abroad and others through the western states. Miss Kate C. MacKnight, president of the state federation, who returned to Pittsburgh on Friday after a couple of months in Europe, was the guest of honor and met the members of the club and their guests standing with the president, Mrs. William Macrum. It was president's day, the formal opening of the club year for the Travelers' club, and the meeting began at noon in the Central Young Women's Christian association was filled with women. The formal program was short, consisting of addresses by Mrs. Macrum, Miss MacKnight, Mrs. Franklin P. Iams and Mrs. Levi Bird Duff, chairman of the Permanent Civic committee, and music by Mrs. White, pianist, Miss White and Mr. Dorrington singing several numbers. Mrs. James C. Dick and Mrs. E. A. Jones reported the work of the summer playgrounds and vacation schools in Pittsburgh and Allegheny during the summer, the Travelers' club having taken charge of the O'Hara school under the direction of Mrs. Macrum. Mrs. George Hubbard, Mrs. William Anderson, Mrs. Lucien Livingston, Mrs. Gertrude C. Coyle and Mrs. John M. L. Amour, and of the Fourth ward, Allegheny, that committee consisting of Mrs. E. A. Jones, chairman; Mrs. R. H. Gilliford, Mrs. B. F. Veach, Mrs. David Patterson and Miss Isabella Witherow. The former had an average attendance of 506 children, with an enrollment of 470, while in the Allegheny school the average attendance reached 150, the enrollment being over 200.

Miss MacKnight made a very interesting talk, speaking of her travels during the summer and especially of her visit to Westminster abbey and other points of interest to the student of English literature, which was especially enjoyable yesterday, as the Travelers' club this season will take up a comprehensive study of English literature. Mrs. Iams spoke on reciprocity, Mrs. Dun on the civic work in which the various women's clubs are engaging, and Mrs. Macrum gave the annual president's address, rehearing briefly the history of the past seven years since she became a member of the club, speaking of the countries which have been taken up during successive years and in the last two years the branching out into civic work by members. Special reference was made to the Soho public baths, and the club was appealed to to support that philanthropic object.

Mrs. E. A. Jones was elected a delegate to attend the annual meeting of the state federation in Lancaster next month. After the program was concluded tea was served by the members of the social committee under the direction of Mrs. Aaron B. West. Purple asters appeared on the tea table.

Scientific Instruction for Children.

A very delightful reception and meeting of the East End W. C. T. U. was held yesterday afternoon by the president, Mrs. J. O. McDowell, at her home, Rebecca and Baum streets. Sixty-five ladies were present. The exercises were opened with prayer by Miss M. S. Boswell, superintendent of the Methodist Episcopal Deaconess' home. Mrs. Ellen M. Watson, corresponding secretary of the Woman's Synodical Temperance association, talked of her work. Mrs. V. C. Ebwer of the Bellevue Temperance society of the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Presbyterial society, spoke of the effective work being done in the presbyteries. She said there are over 22,000,000 children in this country under scientific temperance instruction. Mrs. Daniel Dorchester, Jr., talked on the optimistic side of temperance, one of the features she dwelt upon being the great progress temperance doctrines are making in Germany.

Woman's Missionary Society Meeting.

The nineteenth annual meeting of the Woman's Missionary society of the Pittsburgh synod of the Reformed church, embracing Western Pennsylvania, will be held in Grace church, Dithridge and Bayard streets, beginning Thursday evening and continuing all day Friday. The principal address Thursday evening will be made by Mrs. William Hoy, a missionary recently returned from Yoo Chow, China, and the pastor of the church, the Rev. Dr. John H. Prugh, will also speak. Friday evening the principal address will be made by the Rev. Arthur Cassalman, field secretary of the foreign mission board of the Reformed church, who has recently completed a tour of the world inspecting missions. The ladies of Grace church will serve a dinner in the church Friday evening. Home and foreign missions will be discussed during the session, while the progress of a girls' college conducted by the society in Japan will be considered.

Study of Early English Literature.

The second meeting of the Carnegie Monday club was held at the home of Mrs. W. R. Ferett September 26. The topic of study this year is English literature and early English authors were discussed. Mrs. T. J. George told of Chaucer and Mrs. E. W. Powers of Spencer. Mrs. Will Barr read a paper on Mary Queen of Scots, and current events were discussed by the leader, Mrs. W. J. Simpson.

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THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
HARRISBURG, PA., Sept. 27.

A state association for the mutual benefit and co-operation of the independent telephone companies in Pennsylvania and neighboring states was organized here today at a convention of representatives of these corporations.

The purpose of the association is to so combine the independent companies as to form a community of interest, a protection and an arrangement to increase the facilities of long-distance service.

The first steps toward the formal organization were taken this afternoon at a meeting of the executive committee, at which the details of the state convention, which opened tonight and will continue two days, were arranged. This evening's session was confined to the election of officers, appointment of standing committees and the transaction of other routine business.

At tomorrow's session an address of welcome will be delivered by Mayor Vance C. McCormick of Harrisburg, to which W. H. Denlinger of Patton will respond. Papers on matters pertaining to telephony will be read by S. H. Browne of Pittsburgh, I. D. Gindhart, Jr., W. Scarlett, Harrisburg; I. D. Gindhart, Charles Russell and H. E. Bradley, Philadelphia.

The convention will close with a banquet tomorrow evening, for which covers will be laid for 250 guests. John M. Mack and ex-Gov. William Bunn of Philadelphia, accompanied by 25 friends, will come from that city in a special train to attend the banquet. A special train will also bring to Harrisburg ex-Senator William Flinn of Pittsburgh and others who have extensive interests in the independent telephone companies in Western Pennsylvania and Ohio. The officers of the association are as follows:

President, B. F. Meyers, Harrisburg; first vice president, R. E. Flinn, Pittsburgh; second vice president, Charles Griffith, Johnstown; secretary, H. E. Bradley, Philadelphia; treasurer, C. E. Wilson, Philadelphia; executive committee, B. F. Meyers, C. E. Wilson, J. G. Spiane, Pittsburgh; Judge Robert E. Umbell, Uniontown; W. D. Barnard, Philadelphia; E. D. Shade, Johnstown; William B. Trask, Erie; G. B. Rudy, York; C. W. Kline, Hazelton; national state trustee, Ellis L. Orvis, Bellefonte.

Boy Killed by Engine.

VALENCIA, PA., Sept. 27.—(Special.)—Eugene Love, aged 7, who lived here with his grandmother, Mrs. Stocktem, was struck by the observation train on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad this morning at 9:30 o'clock, and died an hour later in Dr. E. M. Baker's office. The boy was standing on the track when some children, at play near the railroad, attracted his attention, and he stopped to watch them. He did not notice the approach of the train and he was struck and hurled down an embankment to the road. He died unconscious of what happened him.

Rally of Business Women.

The annual rally of the Business Women's club will be held on Monday evening, October 3. The winter's educational work will commence on October 10.

Starting and Staying.

At the start in a long race, the advantage often appears to be with an outsider. But the race is won not in starting but in staying. The quality which wins is staying power. It is so in the race of life. Staying power wins, and as a rule the best stayer is the man with the best stomach. All physical strength is derived from food which is properly digested and assimilated. When the food eaten is only partly digested and assimilated there is a loss of nutrition which means a loss of strength and the general result is physical break-down.

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Unfurnished room,
Second story front.
All conveniences.

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The beautiful Colonial residence of the late William S. King, situate on North Highland avenue, corner Grafton street, lot 79 25-100 feet, fronting on North Highland avenue, ex- tending back 180 feet to a line, width in rear, 153 90-100 feet. (More frontage can be had if desired.) This beautiful and complete resi- dence, finished last November, contains 14 rooms and 3 bathrooms upstairs and 1 in basement. Everything that entered into the construction and finish of this house is of the very best. Hot water heating; decorations by Van Tine. House open for inspection. Fur- ther information, price, etc., on application to either the Safe Deposit and Trust Company of Pittsburgh, Wood st. and Fourth ave., or Thos. D Bell, Maeder bldg., 433 Fifth ave., Pittsburgh; room No. 405.

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LOT 50x120. PRICE $7,000.

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HALLER-DIBERT REAL ESTATE CO.,
118 Sheridan st., E. E.

Allegheny Residences.

PERRYSVILLE AVE. DISTRICT.
$3,700

On good street, only 1 minute walk from cars, frame dwelling 6 rooms, bath, furnace, house in good condition; lot 25x100 ft. See us at once if you want the best house in the dis- trict for the money.
REAL ESTATE SAVINGS & TRUST CO.,
522 Federal st.

Farms.

FOR SALE.

A beautiful farm of 120 acres with new 7- room frame house with cellar under; new bank barn 60x40, grain house, wagonshed, out- kitchen, spring house, smoke house, 200 peach trees, 200 apple trees, 150 plum trees, all kinds of small fruit; near churches of all denomina- tions and public schools; terms ¼ cash, bal- ance to suit purchaser; this farm is near Keating West View car line and near to where the new county road will be built soon; to see the farm come to end of car line on West View line from Pittsburgh and hire rig and ask for my place and I will show you farm; get rig at O'Neal livery stable at end of line; this farm is level and good spring water in all fields, with some timber on small creek running through farm; suitable for dairy farm- ing or gardening; price is low; reason for sell- ing, old age; for particulars inquire of Thomas M. Wright, auctioneer, Perrysville P. O., Pa., R. F. D. 1.

FOR SALE—A beautiful level and fertile farm of 162 acres; fine brick house, 12 rooms; sur- rounded by fruit and shade trees; two barns and carriage house; only two miles from War- ren, the county seat; 2 2-3 miles from Niles; immediate possession given; price $45 per acre; terms, $2,000 down, ample time for balance; sold to settle estate. Send for list of farms.
S. W. WILSON, Niles, O.

FOR SALE CHEAP.

One of the most desirable farms of 150 acres in Crawford county, one mile from Shadeland on the finest road in this county; fine location; good state of cultivation; terms easy. For price and full particulars write,
A. H. WRIGHT,
Shadeland, Pa.

KANSAS FARM—160 acres of level, tillable land, ½ mile from town, on main line Rock Island R. R.; price $1,500. Address R. C. Vance, Florence, Pa.

SEND FOR ILLUSTRATED Ohio farm list. NEILL & BLAKESLEE, Oakmont, Pa.

Lots.

Exceptionally Fine Lots

in the Pryer Plan

East Bridgeville, Pa.
To be sold on Saturday, October 1st, at 1:00 p. m.

Lots are level and desirable, 40x120 feet, fronting on 40-foot streets, and 20-foot alleys in rear of all. Price of lots, $175 to $375.

Exceptional Advantages

The plan is near the center of the town, has city water and complete sewering system, natural gas, graded streets, sidewalks, graded schools, six churches, two railroads—the Pan- handle and the Wabash—with street car line building. Only 15 minutes' ride from Pitts- burgh and five minutes' walk from either sta- tion. Large brick works and nut and bolt fac- tory now in operation; also site of the great Wabash shops and yard.

Coming Town of the Chartiers Valley

Do not fail to attend this sale. For plans and full particulars, address

AMOS PRYER & SON, Agents,

Bridgeville, Pa.
Telephone 18-J.

BROADWAY

Near Highland ave. South Sharon, three centrally located, level lots, 25x125 each; street paved, flag sidewalks, cars pass them. Thriv- ing town. Good business location, $2,500 for the three. Very cheap. Adjoining property held much higher.
McKLVEEN & WHITE, 604 Park bldg., Real Estate "Hustlers."

THOMAS and Orchard aves., Bellevue; lot 45 x110, Thomas ave.; paved; price $1,750. See this and make an offer.
BELLEVUE REALTY SAV. & TRUST CO., Bellevue, Pa.

Coal Lands.

COAL TRACT for sale on bond plan—No cash required; will take bonds of company to op- erate property for entire amount; this is a great opportunity to go into coal business and pay for property out of earnings.

COAL TRACT ON ROYALTY—Fine tract can be leased on royalty; ready for immediate operation.
BLACK & BAIRD,
Farmers Bank Building.

FOR SALE—At sacrifice if sold at once, 700 acres West Virginia coal land on the Kana- wha River and K. & M. R. R. Address L. S. Ray, 709 Kittridge Bldg., or W. J. Holstead, 2460 Eighth st., Denver, Colorado.

Business Properties.

GREAT INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITY.

FOR SALE—15 per cent net business prop- erty, southeast corner of Eighteenth and Pike sts.; one new building and the other a remod- eled one; 54½ feet on Eighteenth st. by 81 feet on Pike. Price $35,000. All rented to good tenants and paying over $5,000 annually in rents. For certain reasons the owners of this property are compelled to sell, and a great sacrifice sale must be made. No trade will be considered.
REAL ESTATE TRUST CO.,
311 FOURTH AVE.

For Sale or Exchange.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

FIFTH AVE. (Hump district)—40x90 ft., im- proved.
WYLIE AVE.—Two dwellings; 82x130 ft.
PREBLE AVE.—Business property; renting well.
MILLER ST., near Center ave.—Investment property.
FIFTH AVE.—80 ft. front; 2 residences.
MARGARETTA ST.—Residence; all clear.
FRANKSTOWN AVE and Braddock ave.—Va- cant lot.
BOQUET ST.—Fine residence; $6,800; all clear.
KELLY ST., near Homewood ave.—30x130 ft.
COLWELL ST.—Apartment house; corner lot; Seventh ward; pays 18 per cent; all rented.
What Have You to Offer?
ARONSON REALTY COMPANY,
ARONSON BLDG. 648 FIFTH AVE.

MAKE MONEY FOR OTHERS,
WILL MAKE MONEY FOR YOU.

FOR EXCHANGE.

We have a brick house of 9 rooms, bath, pantry, cabinet mantels, combination chan- deliers, furnace, hot water heater, laundry, cemented cellar, front and rear porch; lot 25x120 ft. to an alley; street paved. Will trade for vacant. Immediate possession. See

J. H. M'CLELLAND & CO.,
309 Brushton Ave., E. E.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

$30—A farm, 6 miles from city, 7 minutes' walk to station; land level; good 6-room house, barn, etc.; 8 acres fine fruit, all kinds; 7 acres Pittsburgh coal; bank open; fine spring water; price $7,000; will take residence worth $5,000; balance cash or mortgage. Look this up quick.
THOMPSON-VOWINCKEL CO.,
331 Fourth ave.

FOR EXCHANGE.

Two clear lots, worth $500 each; for stock of groceries.
HALLER-DIBERT REAL ESTATE CO.,
118 Sheridan st.

WANTED—A grocery store for some good vacant lot. See us.
LANG REALTY CO.,
Bell 'Phone Court 1618. 248 Fourth ave.

Business Opportunities.

MEAT MARKET—Nice shop, well located in Twenty-third ward; reasonable rent; doing a first-class business, increasing rapidly; a bar- gain at $425.

RESTAURANT—Only stand in good business section of city; present owner has been there for six years; has place equipped completely, including furniture of 10 rooms; receipts run over $50 per day; can double sales by opening at night; price only $2,350.

GROCERY—Old established stand in city; sales $80 to $85 per day; good clean stock; first-class fixtures, horse, wagon, etc.; rent large room and cellar, only $21 per month; splendid opening; will invoice more than price, $2,500.
MILLS-SLAUGENHOUPT CO.,
428 Fourth ave.

TAILORING AND CLEANING STORE—Old- established; for sale cheap to quick buyer; reason leaving city. 833 E. Ohio st., Alle- gheny.

FOR SALE.

Business Opportunities.

HOTEL AND SALOON

In a large mfg. town; 35 well furnished rooms, always filled; office, dining room, barroom, lunch room, kitchen and basement; steam heat in every room; baths and closets on each floor; large stock; owner retiring and will sell for $4,000. Investigate at once.
HOME REAL ESTATE CO.,
Room 416 Ferguson Bldg.,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

I WANT a few young men who will invest from $1,000 to $2,000 to join me in purchasing a good paying business now in hands of re- ceiver. I am thoroughly experienced in busi- ness, having managed plant in question, and can furnish positions to six or eight hustlers. Address B 191, The Gazette.

SALOON AND ROADHOUSE—Near Wheeling; good lease; old established and a money- maker; $3,500.

DRUG STORE—Good location in good town, near city; old established and doing a good business; price $6,000.

MILLER & HOWARD, 431 Fourth ave.

WANTED—A party with $20,000 to take in- terest in 800 acres of land to be plotted, which will return clear profit of $50,000 for the in- vestment inside of three years. Money abso- lutely secured. This is an opportunity seldom equalled. Address N 191, The Gazette.

FOR SALE—Thoroughly equipped, modern bakery in Monessen, Pa., employing eight men and clearing $25 per day, with an established business, including ovens, three horses, two wagons, show cases, tools, etc. Rent $20 per month. Long lease. Price $3,000. Address H. G. Stack, Hotel May, Monessen, Pa.

FOR SALE—Shoe store in one of Pennsyl- vania's best county seat towns; the oldest stand and very best location in town; nice, clean stock; invoice about $2,500; terms cash; reason for selling, going into other business. Address P. O. Box 296, Somerset, Pa.

IF YOU WANT to buy or sell any kind of busi- ness, see CAVANAGH CO., 431 Fourth ave.

Machinery.

MACHINERY.

AIR COMPRESSORS for all duties.
ROCK DRILLS.
GAS PUMPS.
STEAM PUMPS, single and duplex.
POWER PUMPS.
DEEP WELL PUMPS.
In stock and built to order.

HALL STEAM PUMP COMPANY,
215 Grant Ave., Allegheny, Pa.
Near Union Bridge.

Bell 'Phone 554 North.
P. & A. 'Phone 155 North.

ENGINES.

8x7" Westinghouse, E., automatic.
10x16" Carlin slide valve.
11x14" Skinner center crank.
12x20" Porter Allen automatic.
15x26" Payne 4-valve automatic.
16x42" Hamilton Corliss.
18x36" Rose Corliss.
20x24" Green automatic.
20x27" Russell 4-valve automatic and many other sizes.
Also boilers, pumps and rolling mill ma- chinery.

WICKES BROS.,
40th St. & A. V. Ry.
Both 'phones.

FOR SALE—Boilers and engines, all sizes, from 3 to 125 H. P., stationary and portable upright boilers and engines; large assortment kept in stock, shafting, pulleys and hangers and large lot miscellaneous machinery, second- hand belting, leather and rubber; large stock of all sizes at low prices; machinery of all kinds bought and exchanged.
JOHN S. YOUNG,
108-110 Park Way, Allegheny, Pa.

GAS AND STEAM ENGINES,
PUMPS, BOILERS, DYNAMOS.

We are general machinists and manufactur- ers. We carry the largest stock of gas engines in the city. We also can furnish on short notice anything in the line of engines, pumps, dynamos, couplings, pulleys, hangers, belting, valves, iron pipe and general supplies.
THE TRANTER MANUFACTURING CO.,
105 Water st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

FOR SALE—
Two (2) Babcock & Wilcox boilers. Have been used but short time and are in as good condition as when purchased.
These boilers are rated at 231 H. P., each having 12 sections; 9 tubes high; tubes are 4" diameter by 18' 2" long. Each boiler has two steam and water drums 26" diameter, 28' 5½" long and 7-16" thick. Address W. J. L., P. O. box 911, Pittsburgh, Pa.

GAS ENGINES.
GASOLINE YACHTS COMPLETE.
316—The FAIRBANKS CO.—318 Second ave. Second-hand 1-2 Charter, 1-6 F. M. & Co., 1 35-H. P. Otto, Vertical and Horizontal. All sizes—Pumping Engines—All purposes.

Horses and Vehicles.

REMOVED—STABLES

to corner Main and Alexander sts., West End, Pgh., where you will find 75 to 100 head of mine and general purpose mules constantly on hand; take any car to the West End line at Smithfield st. and Third ave. Remember the street, corner Main and Alexander; mule barns. PHILIP STEINMILLER. Bell 220 Walnut.

FOR SALE—Horse, harness and wagon. In- quire 875 Preble avenue, Allegheny.

Sewing Machines.

WE REPAIR all makes of sewing machines; LOWEST prices; all work GUARANTEED; genuine needles and attachments of all makes. Machines Rented by Week or Month.

CARTER SEWING MACHINE CO.,
131 Sixth st., next to Bijou.
Bell 'phone 3340, ring 2, Grant.

Pianos.

PIANO OPPORTUNITY—$450 upright guar- anteed; cover, stool, little used; must sell; $150, delivered. Linderman, Box 682, Pitts- burgh.

Safes.

THE lowest price fireproof safe and cash reg- ister house in Pennsylvania is located at 126 Fourth ave.; old safes bought and sold. Booklet mailed free.
C. W. FRANKLIN.

Miscellaneous.

EXCHANGE—We wish to buy furniture, car- pets, etc., in exchange for a wagon, buggy or harness.
SQUIRES CARRIAGE CO.,
116 Seventh st.

FOR SALE—Bill

UNION PACIFIC AND STEEL LED YESTERDAY'S MARKET

Prices Reacted in the Final Dealings, but Closed Slightly Higher—Pittsburgh Market the Best for Months.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

The New York stock market opened active and strong yesterday, and the dealings were on a larger scale than for some time past, but before the close of the day a reactionary tendency appeared, and final prices showed only small net gains for the general list. Union Pacific and United States Steel preferred were the leaders of the market, and both advanced to the highest prices of the year. Steel preferred touched 70¾ and closed at 70¾, a net advance of 1¼ per cent for the day. The common stock did not make much improvement on Monday's prices, advancing to 18⅛ and reacting to 17¾ at the close. The sinking fund bonds were steady to firm, advancing to 82¾ and closing at 82¼ bid. The minor iron and steel stocks did not participate in the advance of the leaders. Colorado Fuel and Iron closing ⅝ lower and Tennessee Coal and Iron only ⅛ higher. There was no news affecting the trade, but there is a more confident feeling as to the permanency of the current improvement and for better things during the final quarter of the year.

Of the remainder of the industrials the electric stocks were the strongest. General Electric closed at a net gain of 1 per cent and Westinghouse Electric 2 per cent. Amalgamated Copper moved within narrow limits, and, after selling at 58½, reacted to and closed at 58⅛. Sugar was strong and the talk on the stock continues bullish, based upon the requirements of the fruit season and increased earnings therefrom. After reaching 138 the stock reacted to and closed at 132⅝. An exception to the general rule was American Cotton Oil, which broke from 32¾ to 30¼ and closed at the decline.

Whether the renewed activity and strength of Union Pacific was based upon the advance in Northern Securities on the curb market, or vice versa, cannot be positively stated, but both stocks were strong. Union Pacific rallied to 102¼, the highest for the year, and closed at a net advance of 1 per cent. Northern Securities was very strong and closed at 106¼. There was a rumor during the day that the directors of Northern Securities had declared a dividend of 1¼ per cent, an advance of ⅛ per cent over the last previous dividend last February, but this proved to be erroneous, there having been no modification of the injunction restraining the payment of dividends. As a supplementary rumor it was reported that the contending interests in Northern Securities had reached an agreement, and that a dissolution of the assets of the company would be made without further litigation, enabling the distribution of earnings that have been tied up since the United States supreme court decision last spring. No confirmation of this latter report was forthcoming.

Atchison common and preferred were again both strong and both reached to the highest prices of the year. The early advance in Atchison was helped by the publication of the annual report, showing nearly 9½ per cent earned on the common stock. The subsequent reaction, which wiped out all the gain in common stock, was possibly influenced by the publication of the report of earnings for the month of August, showing a decrease in gross earnings of $150,000 and a decrease in net earnings of $387,000. All of the stocks representing the hard and soft coal groups were strong and higher, and with few exceptions all closed higher for the day. Pennsylvania advanced to 132⅝ and Baltimore & Ohio to 89¾, while Ontario & Western made a new high mark by selling at 36.

There was a great deal of irregularity in the fractions, under the leadership of Metropolitan Securities, which broke from 78⅝ to 76⅝ and recovered to 81½. Metropolitan Street Railway ranged between 119 and 120⅝ and closed 1 per cent higher for the day. Brooklyn Rapid Transit advanced to 56⅜ and closed 1¼ per cent higher for the day.

There were no important developments in commercial or financial circles during the day. The weekly bulletin of the government weather bureau noted the completion of the spring wheat harvest, the excellent corn weather and the rapid maturity of the cotton crop during the past week. Wheat and corn rallied somewhat, while cotton closed at the low price of the day. Call loans were easy and unchanged at 1½ to 2 per cent.

On the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday the market was more active than at any time since early last spring, the business was well distributed, and with few exceptions prices closed higher. United States Steel common and preferred were extremely dull, the bulk of the business in these stocks for local account being handled in the larger market in the east, but the strength in Steel preferred is exerting a favorable influence upon Crucible preferred, which rallied $1 a share to 41 and closed at 40½ bid. The common stock advanced to and closed at 6⅝. The natural gas stocks were less active and irregular. Philadelphia Company common advanced to 42 and the preferred to 45¼ on the strength of the Philadelphia market for the stock. Ohio Fuel Supply declared the regular quarterly dividend of 2½ per cent and the stock advanced to 39½. Manufacturers Light and Heat, on moderate profit-taking, declined from 39 to 38⅛ and closed at 38⅝ bid. The Westinghouse stocks were all strong and higher. Airbrake advanced $3 a share to 138, Electric rallied from 82½ to 83⅜, and Union Switch and Signal advanced from 69½ to 70⅝. National Fire Proofing common advanced to 9¾, but the preferred, on sales of nearly 1,500 shares, declined to 31⅜. Pittsburgh Coal common declined to 13¾ and the preferred to 61, and both closed at the lowest. Pittsburgh Coal dividend scrip rallied to 103¼. There was a better demand for bonds than for some time past, and prices were firmer.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Sales on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday were as follows:

10:00 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

30	M. L. & H.	38⅛	
100	do	39	
20	do	39	
50	do	39	
25	do	39	
10	Crucible com.	61½	
5	do	62	
100	do	62½	
100	do	62½	
100	do	62½	
100	do	62½	
5	do	62½	
25	do	62½	
5	do	62½	
10	Crucible com.	62½	
5	do	62½	
100	A. V. pfd.	24¼	
100	F. Proof pfd.	31½	
25	do	31½	
100	do	31½	
85	F. Proof pfd	31¾	
50	do	31¾	
50	do	31¾	
50	do	31¾	
50	do	31¾	
20	do	31¾	
5	do	31¾	
100	do	31¾	
10	Electric 2nds.	83½	
50	do	83½	
50	do	83½	
50	do	83½	
10	U. S. Stl. pfd.	69½	
10	do	69¾	
20	do	69¾	
15	Crucible pfd.	41	
185	do	40¾	
20	Crucible com.	6¾	
100	Crucible com.	6¾	
25	do	6⅞	
5	do	6⅞	
25	Brewing pfd.	45½	
30	do	45¾	
25	Riv. Coal pfd.	20¾	

10:30 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

10	Crucible pfd.	40½	
50	do	40½	
50	do	40¾	
50	do	40¾	
25	do	40½	
5	do	40¾	
75	do	40¾	
25	do	40¾	
20	Phila. com.	43	
20	do	43	
20	P. Coal com.	14¾	
25	P. Coal pfd.	61½	
50	W. Glass pfd.	37	
1600	Do preferred	48⅞	
15	M. L. & H.	38	
20	do	39	
20	do	38¾	
4	do	38½	
10	U. S. Stl. pfd.	70½	
100	Brewing pfd.	45¾	
25	do	45¾	
50	Electric 2nds.	82½	
5	do	82½	
50	do	82½	
50	do	82½	
50	do	82½	
10	do	82¾	
50	do	82¾	
50	do	82¾	
50	do	82	
50	do	82	
10	do	82	
15	do	83	
5	do	83	
50	do	82¾	
100	do	83	

12:30 P. M. to 2:00 P. M.

30	U. S. Stl. pfd.	70¾	
50	Electric 2nds.	83⅜	
25	U. S. Stl. com.	18	
50	P. Coal pfd.	61½	
50	do	61¾	
50	do	61	
100	do	61	
10	do	61	
20	do	61	
10	Crucible com.	6⅝	
15	do	6⅝	
50	do	6⅝	
5	do	6⅝	
25	Brewing pfd.	45¾	
30	do	45¾	
25	Riv. Coal pfd.	20¾	

2:00 P. M. to 3:00 P. M.

$204.75	Pgh. Coal div. scrip	106¼%	
$2000	U. S. Stl. 5s. A	*109½	
30	F. Proof pfd.	31½	
100	do	31½	
300	do	31½	
20	do	31⅝	
5	do	31⅝	
75	do	31⅝	
5	Electric 2nds.	83½	
100	P. Coal pfd.	61	
15	Riv. Coal pfd.	20½	
5	do	20½	
50	M. L. & H.	38½	
30	M. L. & H.	38½	
20	do	38½	
$3000	P., McK. & C. 5s.	99¾	
80	Brewing com.	24½	
40	do	24½	
100	Phila. pfd.	45¾	
15	Crucible pfd.	41	
185	do	40¾	
100	Crucible com.	6¾	
25	do	6⅞	
50	Cons. Ice com	6½	
15	do	6½	

*And interest.

Summary.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last Sales.	Ch'ge.
100	A. V. pfd.	24¼	24¼	24¼	+1¼
105	Brewing	24½	24½	24½	+½
180	Do preferred	45¾	45¼	45¾	0
65	Cons. Ice	6½	6½	6½	+⅛
580	Crucible Steel	6⅝	6⅛	6⅝	+⅛
820	Do preferred	41	40½	40¾	+1
100	Fire Proofing	9¾	9¾	9¾	+¼
1274	Do preferred	*31⅞	31⅜	31⅜	-¼
384	M. L. & H.	39	38½	38½	-¼
250	Ohio Fuel	39½	39¼	39½	+¼
40	Philadelphia Co	43	42	43	+¾
400	Do preferred	45¼	45	45¼	+¼
20	Pgh. Coal	13¾	13¾	13¾	-⅛
415	Do preferred	61½	61	61	-¼
45	Riv. Coal pfd.	20¾	*20½	*20½	+½
33	Union Switch	70	70	70	+½
25	U. S. Glass	*40¾	40	*40¾	+¼
25	U. S. Steel	18	18	18	-⅛
165	Do preferred	70¾	69½	70⅜	+1¼
55	West. Airbrake	138	*136	138	+3
945	W. Elec. 2ds	83½	82½	*83½	+1¼
50	Win. Gl. pfd.	37	37	37	+½
6066					
	BONDS				
$3000	Brewing 6s	113½	113¼	113½	0
4000	P., McK. & C. 5s	99⅛	99⅛	99¼	+¼
2606	U.S. Stl 5s, A	*109½	*109½	*109½	+3⅜
$9000	SCRIP.				
$264.75	P. Coal pf. d.	103¾	103¾	103¾	+¾

*Less than 10 shares. †And interest.

Closing Bids and Offers.

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Manufacturers Light & Heat	50	38¾	38⅝
Ohio Fuel Supply	25	39¼	....
Peoples Pipage	25	23	....
Citizens Traction	50	68½	70
Luster Mining	10	13	14½
Allegheny Val. R. R. pfd	50	....	25
W. Electric 2d pfd	50	83⅛	83⅜
Suspension Bridge	25	....	59⅛
American Window Glass pfd	100	38¾	....
Consolidated Ice	50	6¾	6⅞
Do preferred	50	....	37½
Crucible Steel	100	6⅝	6⅝
Do preferred	100	40¾	41
Monon. River Coal pfd.	50	20	21½
Monongahela Water	25	36	....
Marsden	100	3¾	4
National Fire Proofing	50	9¾	10
Do preferred	50	31½	31⅝
Philadelphia Co.	50	42¾	43
Pittsburgh Brewing	50	24¾	24½
Do preferred	50	45	45¼
Pittsburgh Coal	100	13¾	13⅝
Do preferred	100	61	....
Pittsburgh Stryker & Range pfd	50	....	18½
Standard Underground Cable	100	190	200
Union Switch & Signal	50	69¾	70½
United States Glass	100	40½	43
United States Steel	100	18	....
Do preferred	100	70¾	....
Westinghouse Airbrake	50	137	140
Monongahela Incline	50	62	....
BONDS.			
Duquesne Traction 5s	....	114	....
Pgh., McK. & Conn. 1st 5s	....	89½	99¾
Consolidated Gas 5s	....	108¼	....
Pittsburgh Brewing 6s	....	113¾	....
Second Avenue con. 5s	....	115	....
Pgh. Junction R. R. 1st 5s	....	121	122

PIG IRON WARRANTS.

	Bid.	Ask.
A—Southern coke, November	18.55	18.75
B—Northern coke, November	12.50	12.75
D—Standard Bessemer, November	12.60	12.85

INACTIVE LIST.

150	Am. St'l F. pfd.	33	33	32¾
100	Allis. Chal. pfd.	50	50	50
100	American Msh.	4	4	4
200	Brook. Un. Gas	222½	220½	220½
475	B., R. & P.	146	142¼	146
700	Chic. Un. Trac.	7⅝	7½	7¾
350	Chic. Term. Tr.	6¼	6¼	6¼
2750	Corn Products	15¾	14¾	15⅛
411	Do preferred	70¼	69¾	70¼
1000	Con. Tob. pfd.	125	124⅜	124½
400	D. & R. G.	29¼	29⅜	29¾
350	Do preferred	82¼	82¼	82
900	Detroit United	69½	69	69
100	Det. South. Ry.	4	4	4
100	Do preferred	7	7	7
3576	Iowa Central	25⅜	24½	25½
1400	Do preferred	47⅜	46¾	47⅜
200	Internat. Pump.	32	32	32
100	K. & D. M.	15⅜	15⅜	15⅜
400	K.C., F.S.& M. pf.	77½	77½	77¼
900	M., S.P. & S.S.M.	76¼	76	76
700	Do preferred	135½	132½	133
20170	Met. Subs.	81½	74¾	80
1400	N. K. & T.	24¾	24¼	24⅜
700	N. Y. Airbrake	138½	138	138
100	Pacific Coast Co.	64¾	64¾	64¾
4800	Rubber Goods	20¾	15½	20
300	Do preferred	83	83	82¾
100	Standard R. & T.	....	2	2
900	Sloss	40¾	40½	40¾
650	Twin City R. T.	98½	98	98¼
100	Union B. & P. pf.	70	70	70
1100	Va. Car.—Chem.	35¼	34¾	35¼
1900	Do preferred	108¾	107¾	107¾
3600	W. Elec. 2d pfd.	167½	165	166¾

NEW YORK CLOSING BONDS.

U. S. ref. 2s, reg.	104¾	Man. con. gold 4s	106½
Do coupon	105¼	Mexican Cen. 4s	67½
U. S. 3s, reg	105⅝	Do 1st inc.	15⅜
Do coupon	105⅝	M. & St. L. 4s	93¼
U. S. new 4s, reg	131½	M. K. & T. 4s	100
Do coupon	131¾	Do 2nds	89
U. S. old 4s, reg	106⅝	Nat. Mex. con. 4s	77
Do coupon	107⅝	N.Y. C. gen. 3½s	100⅝
Atchison gen. 4s	103⅝	N. J. C. gen. 5s	131⅞
Do adjt. 4s	96	North. Pacific 4s	104⅞
Atl. Coast L. 4s	98¼	Do 3s	74½
Balt. & Ohio 4s	103¾	N. & W. con. 4s	102⅝
Do 3½s	94¾	Ore. S. L. 4s & P.	99⅝
Cen. Georgia 5s	111¼	Penna. conv. 3½s	99⅝
Do 1st inc.	88½	Reading gen. 4s	100⅜
Ches. & Ohio 4½s	105¼	St. L. & I. M. c.5s	117⅝
C. & Alton 3½s	80¼	St. L. & S.F. fg 4s	86⅜
C. B. & Q. n. 4s	96⅞	St. L. S'w 1sts	88¼
C.M. & St.P. g. 4s	109	Seab'd Air L. 4s	82½
C. & N'w con. 7s	129	South. Pacific 4s	94
C. R. I. & P. 4s	76½	Southern Ry. 5s	116½
Do col. 5s	87¼	Tex. & Pac. 1sts	119⅝
C.C.C.& St.L. g. 4s	101½	T. St. L. & W. 4s	80
Chicago Term. 4s	102	Union Pacific 4s	104⅝
Cons. Tobacco 4s	75⅝	Do conv. 4s	106¼
Col. & South. 4s	86	U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	82¼
D. & R. G. 4s	100⅝	Wabash 1sts	117⅞
Erie prior lien 4s	99⅜	Do Deb. B	65½
Do gen. 4s	87⅜	W. & L. E. 4s	90
Ft.W. & D.C.1st	109½	Wisconsin Cen. 4s	91
Hock. Val. 4½s	108¼	Col. Fuel conv. 5s	75½
L. & N. unif. 4s	100¾		

Total sales (par value), $5,335,000.

New York "Curb" Stocks.

(Reported by Henry Sproul & Co.)

Amer. Elevator	⅛	Manhattan Trans.	4⅛
American Chicle	98	Mon. & Bos. Cop.	⅞
Do preferred	89	New Ams. Gas 5s	108¼
Amer. Tin Can	8⅜	New Orleans Ry.	9⅜
Do preferred	48½	Do preferred	30
Bay State Gas	¼	Do bonds	77
British Columbia	4½	N. Y. Transit	7
Brooklyn Ferry	5	North. Securities	106¼
Central Foundry	1¼	Otis Elevator	35
Do preferred	9¾	Do preferred	95
Electric Boat	38	Roy. Bak. P. pfd.	104
Do preferred	70	Seab'd Air Line	15⅞
Electric Vehicle	16⅜	Do preferred	32⅜
Do preferred	21⅜	Standard Oil	640
Greene Con. Cop.	18	Tennessee Copper	30
Havana Com.	25	Trust of America	470
Do preferred	36	Union Copper	⅞
Int. Mer. Mar.	6	Tonapah	8
Do preferred	18	White Knob	2¾
International Salt	16½	Interboro	148½
Do 5s	56		

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Atchison	83½	American Sugar	132½
Do preferred	100¾	Do preferred	133
Boston & Albany	278½	Am. Tel. & Tel.	140⅝
*Boston & Maine	163½	American Woolen	14
Boston Elevated	165½	Do preferred	82½
Fitchburg pfd.	137½	Dom. Iron & Stl.	12
Mexican Central	13¼	Mass. Gas	92
*N. Y. N. H. & H.	191	United Fruit	106½
Pere Marquette	74	United Shoe Mach.	52½
Union Pacific	101¾	Do preferred	30¾
Am. Arge. Chem.	15	U. S. Steel	17⅝
Do preferred	77½	Do preferred	70¾
†Am. Pneu. Tube	5⅛		

*Bid. †Asked.

Electric Stocks at Boston.

Westingh'se com.	83	Mass. Electric	13
Edison Elec. Ill.	256½	Do preferred	58
General Electric	172½		

FEATURES OF THE DAY

IN PITTSBURGH.

Bank exchanges were $6,097,507, a decrease of $2,242,000.

City Deposit Bank increases its dividend rate from 12 to 16 per cent per annum.

Stock market active, sales reaching 6,066 shares stock and $9,000 bonds.

Fire Proofing common higher at 9¾ and the preferred lower at 31⅜.

Crucible preferred advanced to 41, Electric to 83⅜, Airbrake to 138 and Switch to 70½.

Pittsburgh Coal common declined to 13¾ and the preferred to 61.

IN WALL STREET.

Traders still bullish, but the market closed below the best.

The sales foot up 752,600 shares stock and $5,335,000 bonds.

Steel preferred advanced to 70¾, the highest of the year.

Union Pacific advanced to 102¼, the highest of the year.

Atchison common and preferred also made new high marks on this movement.

All the hard and soft coalers were strong and higher.

NOTES AND COMMENT.

The revival of activity in the local stock market yesterday was very encouraging. The dealings were larger than for months past and prices averaged higher. The leaders in the advance were the Westinghouse group and Crucible Steel preferred. The latter during the past year was compelled to bear the burden not only of dull business, but of admittedly poor management; but the strength of the United States Steel stocks as naturally exerting a favorable effect upon Crucible. Three months ago the most bearish people on United States Steel stocks were insiders, or at least the men who handle the orders and get out material. It is now proved that their horizon was limited; that while they were right in reporting a falling off in actual orders in hand, they were wrong in reading the future of both the iron trade and the stock market. The local public is beginning to regard Crucible, the coal stocks and the natural gas stocks in somewhat the same light. The managers of these properties correctly reported business as being bad during the first half of the year, and in addition to the discouraging outlook from their own immediate surroundings, they had to contend with the pessimistic talk of people who had got on the wrong side of other securities, and who could see nothing encouraging in the future. The fact that some large interests have been buying United States Steel stocks for three months past on a constantly rising market is having a beneficial effect in causing the public to look with more favor upon a number of strictly local securities. That may be the turning point in the home market, and the next step toward higher prices will be easier to take.

The movement in National Fire Proofing was illogical, the common stock ruling strong at a slight advance, while the preferred declined on the marketing of several good-sized lots. There were reports from New York of a better outlook for early improvement in the building trades situation in the east.

The net earnings of Chesapeake & Ohio for August increased $155,666.

The directors of the City Deposit bank yesterday declared a quarterly dividend of 4 per cent, payable October 1. This is an increase over the old rate of 1 per cent per quarter or 4 per cent per year. The deposits and general business of the bank are holding up so well as to justify expectations that the increased rate of dividend will be maintained.

Regular quarterly dividends have been declared as follows: North American Savings, 2½ per cent; Merchants' Savings & Trust, 1½ per cent; East End Savings & Trust, 1½ per cent; Second National bank of Allegheny, 5 per cent; German National bank of Allegheny, 4 per cent.

Pittsburgh Oil and Gas offered at 63. Fayette county gas quoted at 88½ bid, 88 asked, and Union Natural Gas at 95 bid, 96 asked.

The annual report of Chicago Great Western shows an increase in gross earnings of $208,763 and a decrease in net earnings of $287,092.

The net earnings of Hocking Valley for August increased $31,148.

It is reported from Chicago that directors of the American Radiator Company are considering beginning the regular payment of dividends on the common stock. Word is being passed around that the stock will be put on a 4 per cent basis the first of the year. Officials will not commit themselves either way in the matter, and that which lends color of truth to the report is the shares have risen to above 60, or a dozen points higher than National Biscuit common stock, which has paid 4 per cent for several years. The radiator company's ability to pay dividends on the junior stock is not questioned, it having never earned less than 6 per cent on the common shares.

"There are two cliques in the Standard Oil building. One is called the 26 Broadway clique, and the other the 52 Wall street clique. The former is headed by John D. Rockefeller and the latter by James Stillman and William Rockefeller. The National City bank is at 52 Wall street. A difference of opinion exists between these two factions. The comparative weakness of Missouri Pacific and other Gould stocks shows which clique is bearish at the present time. The recent 10 point drop in the price of Colorado Fuel is another straw which shows which way the wind is blowing. St. Paul has advanced 25 points and Union Pacific over 30 points. Missouri Pacific, on the other hand, has advanced only 10 points."—Philadelphia News Bureau.

For the third week in September the gross earnings of Missouri, Kansas & Texas increased $75,625 and Texas & Pacific increased $18,120.

President Ripley of Atchison is quoted as saying that while some heavy purchases of Atchison stock have been undoubtedly made through Kuhn, Loeb & Co., the control of the road is unchanged and three times as much stock as mentioned would have to be purchased to attain that result. Regarding the future there is no boom in sight, but the corn crop guarantees good times, and J. J. Hill and H. V. Jones, he says, have guessed wrong.

The rise in Northern Securities was accompanied by reports that efforts are being made to compromise the trouble arising out of the Hill plan to distribute the company's assets. Several prominent men have been in conference about this matter. The Harriman suit will come up for trial in a few days in the United States circuit court in New Jersey. The Hill people are confident of winning and being able soon to proceed with the winding up of the company's assets. Should it turn out this way it will have a very favorable effect on sentiment. Any settlement should have a good effect.

A small amount of United States Glass sold at 40¼ and that was bid for quotable lots, the highest price reached on the present movement.

American Window Glass preferred sold at 37, an advance of ½ point over the last previous sale.

The regular quarterly dividend of 2½ per cent on Ohio Fuel Supply is payable October 15 to stock of record October 5.

Pittsburgh, McKeesport & Connellsville 5s sold at 99½, an advance of ½ per cent, and 99¼ was bid for more, offered at 99⅝.

On the Pittsburgh board $2,000 United States Steel 5s, series A, sold at 109½, an advance of 3⅝ per cent over the last previous sale.

The head of a Pittsburgh-New York house remarked yesterday: "Our eastern business during September has represented mainly the taking of profits on long stock. We had a very good trade during the latter part of August, and it looked as if the public were coming into the market. During the latter part of the current month, however, the public has been going out of the market, if the experience with our customers is a criterion. It suits us very well to have them go out with profits rather than to take on more stocks and get caught just before a sharp reaction, which may not be immediately at hand, but which is certainly nearer now than it was two months ago."

The member of a local investment house, commenting upon United States Steel preferred, remarked yesterday: "It is astonishing how sentiment is changing. There are as many persons predicting 80 for Steel preferred now as were predicting 50 for it three months ago. Of course the stock market has been discounting expected improvement in the iron trade. There has been some actual improvement, but it has not amounted to as much, relatively, as has taken place in the market for the stock. But everybody feels that we have turned the corner, that the dividend is assured for another year at least, and that the persistent buying of the stock by large interests has something more behind it than now appears on the surface."

Allegheny Valley preferred sold on the local board yesterday to the extent of 100 shares at 24¼, an advance of 1¼ over the last previous sale. If this were not a minority stock it would be selling much higher than current quotations.

The gross earnings of Southern Railway for the third week in September increased $88,631.

This is "opening day" at the Washington National bank, when the officers will greet their friends at their new home corner Fifth avenue and Washington street.

Wall street dispatch: "It is a matter of confidential gossip among part of the entourage of C. M. Schwab that he has obtained for the Bethlehem Steel and Shipbuilding Company, which is to be successor of the United States Shipbuilding Company, several important contracts, including one which is said to be larger than any ever known in the steel trade. While these reports have not been officially confirmed, credit is given to them in some well-informed circles. It is intimated that Mr. Schwab has secured a contract from the Japanese government for the rebuilding of its navy, so as to bring it up to an equal footing with any other nation in the world. It is also stated that he made several contracts with the Russian government. These contracts will not be made known until the reorganization plan of the United States Shipbuilding Company has been consummated."

It is announced that all of the $9,000,000 Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis 4s recently purchased by Kuhn, Loeb & Company and Speyer & Company have been sold.

A New York brokerage house with Pittsburgh connections was a large buyer of Steel preferred yesterday.

One Wall street house bought over $800,000 Union Pacific convertible 4s yesterday.

The upward movement in O. & W. has strengthened the belief that the directors today will declare a dividend in the stock.

Commenting upon the movement in the Electric stocks a Wall street news agency says: "On its prospects for a great business in 1905, General Electric stock many observers think would no doubt be a great deal higher than it is—in fact be well on its way to 200—except for the action of Westinghouse. These two issues have generally moved together and in the opinion of most street men should sell at about the same price. Westinghouse, however, is now selling about 10 points below General Electric, and this, it is believed, has the effect of holding General Electric back. The reason for the hesitation in Westinghouse lies in the fact that a considerable proportion of the recent new issue in the stock is underwritten at 100 and naturally the underwriters have been disposing of it at a fair profit as the market would take it. It is understood now that about all the stock from the source that has been for sale has been disposed of. Westinghouse has been quoted above the underwriting price for about a month, and this has given the underwriting syndicate ample opportunity to dispose of what stock it had for sale at a profit. The belief that the underwriters had stock for sale has been the only reason for the lack of response in Westinghouse to current favorable conditions. On earning power and general position, it is entitled to sell fully as high as General Electric. When it is seen that the pressure of selling by the underwriters has been withdrawn a sharp advance, it is predicted, will take place in Westinghouse. Some shrewd observers say that it would not be a surprise to see a rise of 10 points in a single day. This would bring the stock to the level with General Electric, and any advance in Westinghouse would probably have a favorable sympathetic influence on General Electric."

On the New York stock exchange United States 3s advanced ⅛ and the new 4s declined ⅛ per cent on call.

NEWS FROM THE MINES.

Salt Lake and Michigan capitalists are organizing the De Soto Mining Company with 500,000 $2 shares to develop property adjoining the Sheba, in Humboldt county, Nev. It consits of 24 claims, 11 of which have already been patented. In the early days of primitive methods when silver ruled at $1 20 or thereabouts the ground produced more than $4,000,000, but the milling ores which will yield a high profit under modern methods of mining are virtually untouched. There is much of this class of rock now blocked out, there being more than 4,000 feet of workings on the property.

B. S. Burke and M. Nelson, owners of the Twin Peaks mine, 25 miles north of Moapa, are in receipt of assays from ore sent to Salt Lake last week from a five-foot ledge of $26, $42 10 and $112 40 per ton in gold and 16, 99 and 235 ounces silver. They crosscut their ledge last week and at a depth of 140 feet in a 200-foot tunnel.

A strong flow of water has been struck in the main well of the Crystal Water Company, four miles from Tonopah, where the company has been drilling for several days. This is good news for Tonopah, as the Crystal water is the purest that is found in the near vicinity of the camp. The water from Rye Patch, not yet been piped to the town, but will be an early date, the Crystal company furnishing practically all the water that is now consumed.—Reno Gazette.

Manager R. A. Hasbrouck of the Gold Dollar Mining Company, whose properties are at Leesburg, Idaho, says that the mill will certainly begin the turning out of bullion within 10 days. It was expected to put the plant in commission last week, but owing to the death of Supt. Barker's daughter just as he was starting for the mines, the beginning of work was unavoidably delayed.

A letter from L. E. Bedford of Salt Lake, who is now at Goldfield, expresses the greatest faith in the future of that region. Indeed, says Mr. Bedford in his message to Frank H. Cook, it ought to surpass even the world-famed Comstock in wealth. Mr. Bedford reports great activity on the part of prospectors in the region south of Goldfield, and expects important discoveries there at any time.

What is undoubtedly the richest native gold ore ever received at the United States mint at Carson City, says the Reno Gazette, was shipped last week in two small cans by Bartlett & Vermilyea from lease No. 11 on the Jumbo mine. The fineness of this ore was 962.2 and its weight 258.32 ounces, for which the shippers received $1,511 20 gross, or $1,505 44 net, after the charges were deducted. This is at the rate of $20 02 per ounce, which is the highest price yet paid for native gold. This valuable ore came in the form of small nuggets and grains and was obtained from a streak running from one and a half to two and a half inches in width, which was discovered a foot and a half from the surface. This streak was in the form of a small pocket, but the lessees are of the opinion that the vein will again show deeper down. They are now drifting to strike the ledge and expect to meet it on the uprise. While nothing has heretofore been said concerning this rich strike the indications are that No. 11 lease may yet prove one of the big bonanzas of the camp. Twenty men are now working on the lease and a large amount of very rich ore is being mined daily. All of this ore is sacked and shipped to the sampling works at Reno.

The Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—Influenced by the sharp advance in London, where spot tin closed at £127 12s 6d, and futures at £128 2s 6d, the local tin market was firmer and closed at $27 87½@28 00, although demand continued moderate. Copper was a shade higher in the London market, where it closed at £58 2s 6d for both spot and futures. Locally, however, the market was unchanged, with lake quoted at $12 75@13 00; electrolytic at $12 75@12 87½, and casting at $12 50@12 62½. Lead was unchanged at $4 20@4 30 in the New York market and at £11 17s 6d in London. Spelter also was unchanged in both markets, London closing at £22 7s 6d and New York at $5 10@5 20. Iron closed at 50s 3d in Glasgow and at 42s in Middlesboro. Locally iron was practically unchanged. No. 1 foundry northern is quoted at $13 75@14 25, No. 2 foundry northern at $13 25@13 50; No. 1 foundry southern and No. 1 foundry southern soft at $13 50@13 75.

Boston Copper Stocks.

(Reported by A. E. Maston & Co.)

STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close. Bid.
Allouez	15¼	15½	15¼	15
Adventure	3½	3½	3¼	3½
Arcadian	1	1	1	800
Atlantic	14	14	13½	13½
Bingham	*27	....	....	26½
Calumet & Arizona	†96½	*97	*96	*96½
Calumet & Hecla	515	520	515	520
Centennial	*27½	....	....	27
Calumet & Pittsb'gh	*40	†42	†40	40
Elm River	†18¼	*18½	....	....
Franklin	*8½	....	....	8
Junction	*40	*42	*40	37½
L. S. & Pgh. Devel.	†50	*52	†50	50
Mass	4½	4½	4½	4½
Mohawk	46	46	45¾	46
Michigan	6¼	6¼	6¼	6¼
Osceola	81	81½	80	81
Old Dominion	17	17½	17¼	17½
Old Colony	*1	....	....	1
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THIRD AVENUE REALTY RESOLD

T. N. Barnsdall Buys 218-222 for $81,000 from Ralph M. Weaver.

BIG BLOCK FOR FIFTH AVENUE

A single example of old-time speed in realty operations was furnished yesterday by the resale of the John A. Staley property at 218-222 Third avenue at a profit of $1,000. Last week Ralph M. Weaver, the stock broker, bought the property for $80,000. He has now sold it to T. N. Barnsdall, the oil operator, for $81,000—thus netting a nice profit on a week's ownership. The deal is significant in two ways. It shows that good properties in the downtown district are still in good demand, although not going at the same reckless speed that characterized the market two years ago. It shows, too, that new investors are coming into the market. Mr. Barnsdall has not dealt in downtown realty before, and the fact that he made this purchase for an investment is an indication that shrewd business men are studying the realty market with care. His large purchase of the old McKelvey residence property in the Nineteenth ward last year has made him the owner of one of the finest homes in the city, and a large amount of money has been spent the past summer in improvements to the grounds and buildings. The Third avenue property measures 49.3x80 feet in the south side of the avenue between Wood and Market streets and directly opposite the Gusky store building. The lot is improved with three brick warehouses, each four stories high. In 1901 the property was bought from McKenna Brothers for $40,000.

Invested in the East End.

Ralph M. Weaver has purchased from L. Ruggiero a good paying property at the south corner of Thompson street and Shetland avenue, Twenty-first ward, for $18,000. The lot is 50x100 feet and is improved with a three-story brick apartment house containing six flats and four small dwellings.

If only a few of the many large deals now pending could be closed the local real estate market would take on an air of decided activity. At least two large downtown deals are as near the closing point as possible without the delivery of the deeds. A valuable church property in Allegheny has been sold and the congregation has practically settled upon a site for a new house of worship. Big trade deals are as numerous as ever, but the utmost caution is manifested among the dealers about giving out the particulars until the final papers are passed. The number of fine residences selling and the increasing inquiry for well-built houses that will bring from $6,000 to $10,000 is sufficient to show that there is a large class of buyers who have money to invest in modern homes if they can find suitable locations. It may be the scarcity of really desirable properties within the city limits that are for sale or it may be the natural steady drift of well-to-do city residents to the suburbs that is causing an unusual demand for fine houses and handsome home sites in the outlying districts where great pains is being taken to build up a model community. Certain it is that these neighborhoods are prospering this fall more than for years previous, and with improved traffic facilities they are sure to keep up their selling record.

Big Publishing Plant Projected.

Architects Rutan & Russell are taking estimates on the building to be erected for Mrs. Harriet L. Rock at 1331-1335 Fifth avenue. The building will be the most pretentious structure in that neighborhood, being 10 stories high in front and four stories in the rear. It will occupy two lots, one 48x80 feet in extending north from Fifth avenue to a private alley, and another, 48x94 feet, extending north from this alley to Colwell street. The building will be strictly fireproof and will have a steel frame with brick and terra cotta walls. The old buildings on the lot were torn down some time ago, and if the bids are favorable, work will be started on the new structure in a few weeks. The higher building facing on this avenue will be handsomely fitted up for offices, the rear building is designed for a printing and publishing plant.

Architect T. H. Scott is taking revised bids on the liquor warehouse to be built for Max Klein in Penn avenue, near Thirteenth street. The building will be four stories high and will cost approximately $30,000.

A six-story brick building, 100x100 feet, will be erected by the Standard Sanitary Manufacturing Company on its property in Preble avenue, Ninth ward, Allegheny. The old buildings on the site are now being torn down. Over 800 men have been employed by the company lately to keep up with its orders.

Lively Pace at West Pittsburgh.

West Pittsburgh may get another silk mill if negotiations now pending result successfully. Woodhouse, Bopp & Co., who now have 80 looms running in their mill at West Pittsburgh, are seriously considering the proposition of buying more land and moving their big mill in Sixty-seventh street, New York city, to West Pittsburgh. The latter mill employs 350 girls. West Pittsburgh is beginning to take on the appearance of a thriving industrial town, as, in addition to the silk mill mentioned, there are now in operation the plants of the Garland Chain Company, the Garland Nut and Rivet Company, the Safety Armorite Conduit Company and the West Pittsburgh Cement Company. The West Pittsburgh Realty Company is just finishing its electric light plant and extending the system to all the streets of the town. Water and gas mains are also being laid on all the streets. Over 90 houses, besides the manufacturing plants, have been built within the last two years, and if the industry spoken of locates there at least 50 houses will be built this winter. The houses already built rent for from $18 to $30 a month, and there is not a vacant house in the place. Owing to difficulties in securing rights of way in New Castle the street railway line from West Pittsburgh to that point has not been started. When this line is built it will afford the connecting link of five miles in the circuit of trolley lines extending from Pittsburgh to Youngstown, O.

Old Broker Resumes Business.

J. C. Dick, who for 20 years has been prominently indentified with the realty interests of Pittsburgh, will open new offices at 417 Fourth avenue October 1 for the transaction of a general real estate, insurance, renting and mortgage business. For nearly a year Mr. Dick has lived at Franklin, Pa., but he returned to this city lately to take charge of a large estate.

Dithridge street: L. A. Clark & Co. have delivered the deed to Mary A. Corcoran in the sale of 210 Dithridge street for $24,500.

Lang avenue: Mrs. Anna C. Bennett sold to D. J. Martin an improved lot, 34x100 feet, in Lang avenue, Twenty-first ward, for $5,000.

Montezuma street: J. Q. Shipley sold to Anna L. Sweeney an improved lot, 37x100 feet, in Montezuma street, Twenty-first ward, for $4,500.

Shetland avenue: Johanna M. Nieman sold to S. Russo an improved lot, 31x120 feet, in Shetland avenue, Twenty-first ward, for $3,000.

Collins avenue: Vernon Fahnestock sold to H. E. Rice 19x96 and 31x96 feet in Collins avenue, near Stanton avenue, Nineteenth ward, for $2,614.

The Real Estate Savings and Trust Company sold for F. W. Lager to J. C. Umstead 25x105 feet on Hazelwood avenue and an irregular lot at Norfolk and Frank streets for $2,000. The purchaser will improve.

Building permits were issued yesterday to C. M. Miller for a two-story brick automobile stable in the rear of Winebiddle avenue, Twentieth ward, to cost $1,000, and to Charles Sexauer for a two-story frame dwelling in Loyal alley, Thirty-first ward, to cost $1,500.

Transfers Recorded.

Goldstrohm Barbara to A H Goldstrohm, Sept. 15, Duquesne, 79x105, Barbara ave $3,500

Lindsay Isaac to W M Lindsay, July 15, Emsworth, ¼ acre Beaver rd 3,000

Hunt H L to Lulu D Hunt, Sept. 17, 20th wd, Pgh, 102x119, College ave 5,000

Grubbs Joseph D to E G Erieson, Aug. 24, Sewickley, 17-100 acre, Grove st 2,500

Rogers Philip to Agnes M Brown, Sept. 16, 12th wd, Pgh, 22x106, Ohio st 1,475

Denny Matilda W to Fannie P McBride, July 8, 3d wd, Allgh, 21x112, Union ave 5,560

Coggins M O to Margaret E Rhodes, Aug. 15, Bellevue, 50x150, Damson ave 1,740

Henderson A E to L P Merritt, Sept. 19, 21st wd, Pgh, 33x128, Lincoln ave 3,000

Marsh C T to Ira C Ewing, Aug. 18, Braddock twp, 66x100, Dewey ave 3,000

Hanlen Thomas H to J A Baumgarten, Aug. 31, 32d wd, Pgh, 25x80 Beltzhoover ave 4,500

Tube City Land Co to H T Watson, Aug. 10, Port Vue, 6 lots Tube City L Co plan 3,125

Tube City Land Co to A J Baker, Aug. 10, Port Vue, 6 lots Tube City L Co plan 3,125

Glassport Land Co to H T Watson, Mch 6, Glassport, 78x120, Erie ave 1,400

Marshall S to A W Headley, Sept. 22, 19th wd, Pgh, 25x120, Wilson ave 3,500

Gehring J J to W L Brown, Sept. 9, 21st wd, Pgh, 35x100, Dory ave 4,500

Riesmeyer J R to Mary C Gettman, Sept. 8, 20th wd, Pgh, 35x200, Centre ave 5,000

Pfeifer J A to Valentin Stern, Feb. 29, 35th wd, Pgh, 30x100, Republic st 2,000

Rooney Joseph to N M Schiller, Sept. 22, 4th wd, Allgh, 17x50, Robinson st 2,500

Evans C to Barbara A Hannan, June 28, 7th wd, McKeesport, 80x105, Huey st 1,200

Hillwig S P to Paul V Cregan, Aug. 27, Swissvale, 30x78, Waverly ave 2,250

McBride M J to Hattie F Gibson, June 25, N Braddock, 24x100 Pallas ave 1,350

Linde Herman to Lottie Heller, Sept. 8, 14th wd, Pgh, 22x141, Meyron ave 6,400

Janson Peter to A Leshniak, Sept. 9, 18th wd, Pgh, 20x100, Holmes ave 3,700

Shields Wm J to P F McHale, Aug 20, 17th wd, Pgh, 22x108, 45th st 1,525

Yengert Mary to A J Wagner, Sept. 6, 18th wd, Pgh, 20x87, Stanton ave 2,500

Barr Jno E to W B Rodgers, Sept. 24, Bellevue, 40x100, Meade aye 1,500

Fetterman Land Co to J A Dillon, Sept. 16, Scott twp, 30x129, W Liberty ave .. 900

Stewart Henry to H J Myers, July 27, 7th wd, McKeesport, 40x130, Versailles ave 1,200

Griffiths M I to Wm H Batch, Sept. 9, Elizabeth twp, 118 Perches 800

Nail Wm to Annie Smythe, Sept. 16, 8th wd, Pgh, 25x102, Sylvania st 700

Debart R P to G Castelli, Sept. 12, S Fayette twp, 60x144 Campbell st 850

Witherspoon J M to S M Meals, Sept. 22, Oakmont, 50x150, E st 1,100

Short Harry H to J Brunner, Sept. 16, Allgh, 10th wd, 50x166, Rural ave 925

The Wool Market.

LONDON, Sept. 27.—The offerings at the wool auction sales today amounted to 8,701 bales. Fine combing greasy and first half-bred greasy were in strong demand, and several lots were taken for America. A good supply of slipes met with a brisk demand, chiefly from German buyers. Punta Arenas and Falkland islands' prices were steady on a good demand from home and continental buyers. Following are the sales in detail: New South Wales, 1,200 bales; scoured 9d@1s 9d; greasy, 9½d@1s 1d. Queensland, 400 bales; scoured, 1s, 3d@2s ½d; greasy, 10½d. Victoria, 400 bales; scoured, 10¼d@11d; greasy, 8¼d@1s 1½d. New Zealand, 4,600 bales; scoured, 6¼d@1s 7d; greasy, 6d@1s 2½d. Cape of Good Hope and Natal, 34 bales; scoured, 1s 9d@1s 9½d; greasy, 6½d. Punta Arenas, 1,500 bales; scoured, 1s 1½d@1s 2¾d; greasy, 8d@11d. Falkland islands, 400 bales; greasy, 7½@10d.

BOSTON, Sept. 27.—Large and small mills have been buying wool the past week. The market is strong with a buoyant movement apparently under way. A feature of trading has been the satisfactory demand for worsteds, all grades of wool are selling. Territory continues to move freely at average prices. Pulled wools are firm. Foreign grades are the least in demand. The principal quotations follow: Ohio and Pennsylvania, XX and above, 34@35c; X, 30@31c; No. 1, 33@34c; No. 2, 33@34c; fine unwashed, 24@25c; ¼, ⅜ and ½ blood unwashed, 28@29c; unwashed delaine, 26@27c; fine washed delaine, 36c. Michigan X and above, 26@27c; No. 1, 30@31c; No. 2, 29@30c; fine unwashed, 21@22c; ¼, ⅜ and ½ blood, unwashed, 28@29½c; unwashed delaine, 25@26c; fine unwashed delaine, 32@33c. Kentucky, Indiana, etc., ⅜ and ½ blood, 29@29½c. Territory, Idaho, fine, 18@18½c; fine, 15@16; fine medium, 18@18½c; medium, 19@20c; low medium, 21@22c. Wyoming, fine, 17@18c; heavy fine, 15@16c; fine medium, 17½@18c; medium, 20@21c; low medium, 22@23c. Montana, fine, choice, 20@21c; fine average, 19@20c; fine medium, choice, 20@21c; average 19@20c; staple, 22@23c; medium choice, 22@23c; average, 21@22c.

BUTTER HAS GONE UP; FLOUR HOLDING STEADY

Shelled Nuts Coming Forward Freely—Produce Trade is Still Slow Here.

There was a marked upward tendency in cheese and butter yesterday. Quotations were advanced on cream cheese and butter is a half cent higher. The Elgin telegram announced this change here yesterday morning instead of Monday, the usual time. Egg receipts are holding out well and the market is steady.

There were no reductions in flour yesterday following the break in wheat. It is claimed by some that winter wheat flours are so scarce that it is difficult to get them at the bottom prices of last week. There is good demand for sugar and, like coffee, the market is tending higher. There is not much demand for dried fruits. Peaches are reported scarce as ever on the coast and so are apricots. Trade in prunes is still very slow and prices remain on a very low basis. The California raisin market is quiet and dull. The first direct steamer with new crop Persian dates has sailed and is expected to arrive at New York next month.

Reports from New York indicate a very satisfactory business in all varieties of nuts, and the feature of the market is the announcement of low opening prices on California walnuts. Almonds and filberts are easy. Brazil nuts are tending upward. Pecans and peanuts are particularly firm.

Produce trade is still quiet. Onions are especially easy and prices are reduced again. Cantaloupes are not wanted very much, but the call for fruits is still good. Corn was weak here yesterday and prices on both shelled and ear were reduced. Oats were about the same as on Monday and good No. 1 hay is strong.

HAY, GRAIN AND FEED.

Receipts buiietined: Pennsylvania, 22 cars hay, 3 cars feed, 4 cars straw, 6 cars oats, 2 cars rye; Baltimore & Ohio, 12 cars hay, 3 cars oats, 4 cars straw; Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, 1 car hay, 1 car rye, 1 car oats, 1 car corn.

New No. 1 timothy ..$12.75@13.25
No. 2 .... $12.00@12.50
No. 1 clov. $12.50@13.00
No. 1 mix $12.25@12.75
Loose from wagon..$14.00@16.00
Straw, oat..$7.50@8.00
do wheat..$8.00@8.50
do rye..$10.75@11.25
No. 2 white oats ....35½@36c
No. 3 oats....35@35½c
No. 4 oats....34½@35c
White middlings, No. 1, ton..$25.50@26.00
No. 2 middlings ..$24.50@25.00
do brown..$22.50@23.00
Bran, ton..$19.50@20.00
Wheat, No. 2 red ..... 98@99c
Corn, No. 2 yellow shelled ....66@61½c
High mixed....58@59c
No. 2 mixed....57@58c
No. 2 yellow car ..... 64@65c
No. 2 rye, western .... 84@85c

GROCERIES.

Flour.
Fancy spg. patent, in paper..$6.50@6.60
First clears..$4.50@4.70
Fancy winter patent..$6.10@6.20
Straig't win..$5.60@5.65
Rye ..... $4.20@4.55
Graham ....$4.65@4.75
Cornmeal, bbl. ....$3.00@3.10
do 10-lb cotton bags ....18½@17c
Rolled oats, bbl..$4.70
Oatmeal $2.50
Roasted Coffee.
Rio ..... 13½@15c
Santos ....22½@23½c
Maracaibo ....15½@16c
Peaberry ....17½@18c
Golden Rio....15@15½c
Cameta ....19½@20c
Standard, pkgs. ..12.55@13.05c
High grade..18¼@19½c
Molasses, fancy refined ....35@36c
do choice ....31@34c
do open kett..37@39c
Syrup.
Fancy syrup ....28@30c
Maple syrup, gal..$1.00
Sug. and cane..24@25c
Prime ..... 24@25c
½-lb cans, doz...$1.50
¼-lb cans, doz...$1.10
5-lb cans, doz...$4.50
10-lb cans, doz...$8.40
Maple, gal...75c@$1.00
Oatmeal, bbl $5.20
do kegs $2.75
Sugar, sta. gran..5.30c
do gal ....$2.50@2.55
Succotash, 1-lb cans ....$1.25@1.40
Baked beans, cans, tomato sc...75@95c
Salmon, dog...95c@$2.00
do red, 1-lb flats ....$1.00@1.30
1-lb flats..$1.65@2.00
do pink, 1-lb tails ..$1.85@2.10
Chipped beef..$2.25@2.75
Corn and roast beef, 2-lb cans ....$2.40@2.45
do 1-lb cans ....$1.30@1.35
Mackerel, broiled ..$1.00@2.50
Sardines, domestic, ¼s..$3.45@3.60
do mustards, ¼s..$2.60
do French..$9.5c@18.50

SALT FISH.

Mackerel, No. 1 large, bbl....$26.00
do half bbl....$11.50
do quar. bbl....$6.00
Mackerel, No. 1 plain, bbl...$20.00
do half bbls...$10.50
do quar. bbls...$6.25
do 20-lb pails..$2.40
do 10-lb pails..$1.75
Mackerel, No. 2 large, bbl $16.00
do half bbls....$8.50
do quar. bbls...$4.35
do 20-lb pails....$1.90
do 10-lb pails....$1.00
do No. 2 Irish ..... 50-lb tubs....$5.00
Lake herring, 100 lbs. $3.85
do ½-bbl $1.85
do 10-lb 50c

DRIED FRUIT.

Apricots, evap., bags ..... 10@12c
do 25-lb boxes ..10½@12½c
Apples, bulk....6¾@7c
do 1-lb cartons ..... 7½@8c
Peaches ....7@10½c
Raisins, seeded, 1-lb pkg. 7½@7¾c
Raisins, Muscatel, 2 and 4 crown 50-lb boxes..6@6½c
do Ondaria ..... 5@5½c
do Cal. Val. ....7@7½c
Currants, cleaned, 25 and 60-lb pkgs ....6½@6¾c
Prunes ..... 3@8c

SEEDS.

Clover, from store, recleaned, 60-lb bu small..$6.75@7.00
do mammoth ....$6.85@7.00
do crimson..$4.50@4.75
do white Dutch..$10.25@12.00
Alsike ....$7.50@8.00
Alfalfa ....$8.50@9.00
Millet, Western ..$1.25@1.50
Southern ..$1.75@1.80
Grass, Hungarian ..... 90c@$1.00
do lawn, lb....16@18c
do blues, 14-lb bu. ..... $1.65@1.75
do red top, 14-lb bu..$1.10@1.60
Timothy ....$1.50@1.60

POULTRY AND GAME.

Live hens ....13@14c
do roosters..8½@10c
do old turkeys..14@15c
do old ducks..11@12c
do spring chickens, Large ....14@15c
Small ....13@14c
do geese ....8@9c
do spring ducks ....14@15c
Dressed hens....17@18c
do roosters....13@14c
do turkeys ..20@21c
do spring chickens ..19@20c
do spring ducks ....18@19c
do Long Island ducklings 20c
do capon, lb..28@27c
Squab, doz..... $4.00
do No. 2 ..... $2.75
Ducks, ruddy....$1.25
do red head $1.75@3.00
do canvasback ....$2.75@3.00
Impt. golden plover, doz. $5.50
do black plover..$4.50
do grouse $2.50
do partridge ..$2.25
English pheasants, per pair $3.25
Reed birds, doz...$1.25
Snappers, per lb..9@10c

PROVISIONS.

Hams.
16 lbs and up.....12c
Over 14 to 18 lbs..11½c
Over 10 to 14 lbs...12c
10 lbs and under..12c
Skinned 13c
Boneless boiled.....20c
California 9½c
Shoulders, N. Y., cut 9½c
do skinned 10½c
Ribs, 8 to 20 lbs..12½c
do 16 to 12 lbs..11½c
do back strips..11½c
do clears, 8 to 10 lbs. 12¾c
do 16 to 12 lbs..12¼c
Breakfast bacon, back strips...11¾c
Dry salt sides, extra, short clears ..9½c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs. 9¾c
do 16 to 20 lbs....10c
do under 16 lbs...10c
Dry salt, smoked sides, extra, short clears ..10¼c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs. 10¾c
do 16 to 20 lbs....11c
do under 16 lbs...11c
Lard, pure tierces 8c

PRODUCE.

Potatoes, bulk, bu, store...55@60c
bu, track..45@50c
Virginia sweets, bbls. ....$1.65@1.75
Jersey sweets, bbls. ....$2.75@3.00
Hampers ..$1.00@1.25
Onions, bbls. ....$1.75@1.85
do bu. ..... 55@75c
Spanish, per crate ....$1.20@1.25
Cucumbers, bbls. ....$1.00@1.25
do Ashtabula, chips ..... 25@40c
do home raised, bu. ..... 75@85c
per bu. ..$1.00@1.25
Cabbage, bbl ....75c@$1.00
Lettuce, home, doz. ....20@30c
String beans, green ....75c@$1.00
Wax beans..75c@$1.00
Brussels sprouts ..... quart ..... 18@20c
Celery, Kalamazoo, doz. ..... 12@15c
do bu. ..... 90c@$1.00
Cantaloupes, Rockyfords
do Standards, crate ....$1.00@1.25
Popcorn, lb ..... 4@5c
Egg plant, crate, choice ..... 50@75c
Squash, marrow fats, bbl..$1.50@1.75
Rutabagas ..$1.75@2.25
Huckleberries, do 10-lb baskets ..... 65@75c
do 20-lb baskets ....$1.25@1.50
do pails..$1.00@1.10
Elderberries, per crate..$1.00@1.25
per qt ..... 5@6c
baskets 50c
pails ..... 50@60c
Peppers, bu.... 40@50c
bbls. ....$1.25@1.50
Mushrooms, per lb ..... 35@40c
Cauliflower, per basket ..... 50@60c
Green corn, home raised, doz. ..12@15c
bu. ..... 90c@$1.00
Cantaloupes, Rockyfords
do Standards, crate ....$1.00@1.25
doz. ..... 10@15c
do Ohio ..... 25@30c
Tomatoes, Home grown chips ..... 30@35c
Honey, new ...15@16c
Beets ..... 25@30c
do bbls ...$2.50@2.75
do combins....85@90c
do Ohio ..... 25@30c
Watermelons ....20@30c
Garlic, lb..... 7@8c
Lima beans, do 3-qt b'sket.35@40c
per qt..... 12@13c
Cranberries, per crate.$2.00@2.25

NUTS.

Filberts 10c
Eng. walnuts ..12@15c
S. S. almonds ..16½c
Tarr. almonds ..15½c
Mixed 10c
Brazil 9c
Dried Italian chestnuts 7c
do domestic, per lb. 25c
Shellbarks, bu. ....$1.75@2.00
Pecans 10c
Peanuts, fancy roasted $1.60
do choice $1.30

HIDES.

No. 1 green steer, heavy 8c
do light, under 60 lbs. and cows, all weights 7c
No. 1 green bulls...6c
Green salt or cured, No. 1 steers, over 60 lbs.....9c
do No. 2 ..... 8c
Cows and light calfskin, No. 1...10c

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter
Prints ..... 23@23½c
Tubs ..... 22@22½c
Ohio cream 19½@20½c
Defry ..... 12@12½c
Country roll..11½@12c
Cheese, N. Y., full crm. new..10@10½c
do Ohio crm 9¾@10c
do ¾ cream, new ..... 8¾@9c
Swiss ..... 12@12½c
do Wis. Swiss, tubs ....14@15c
do block ....12½@14c
do imported 27@27½c
do Limburger, new...12@12½c
do 5-lb brk.13@13½c
Neufchatel, per box...90c@$1.00
Eggs, selected 23c
do candled ..21@22c
do at mark...18@19c

FRUITS.

Lemons, Messina ....$3.50@4.00
do California ....$2.50@3.00
Oranges, St. Michaels, ... $4.00@4.50
Late Valencias ....$4.00@4.50
Jamaicas, per box..$3.00@3.25
Cocoanuts, bags ....$2.75@3.00
Figs, cartons...75@90c
Bananas 1st..$1.50@1.75
do 2nds..$1.25@1.50
Pineapples, crate ....$3.00@3.50
Grapes, California, crates ..$1.50@1.75
N. Y. grapes, 8-lb b'sket..16@17c
4-lb b'sket..9@10c
Grape fruit..$5.00@5.50
Apples, bu. ....45@60c
do ¼ bu. ..... 25@35c
Crab apples, chips ..... 25@40c
Peaches, 6-basket carriers ..$1.25@1.75
10-lb b'skets.20@25c
20-lb b'skets.40@50c
bu crate..$1.00@1.50
bu b'sket..$1.75@2.00
Plums, crates ...75c@$1.00
20-lb b'skets.50@60c
Damsons, 20-lb b'skets.30@35c
Limes, per 100 ...75c@$1.00
Pears, per crate, Fancy ..$2.00@2.50
10-lb b'skets.15@20c
20-lb b'skets.30@35c
Kifers, bbls. ....$1.75@2.00
Bartletts, bbls. ..... $2.50@4.00
Quinces, bbls. ..... $3.50@4.00

THE HORSE MARKET.

Sales yesterday amounted to 200 head at the Pittsburgh exchange. Demand is improving rapidly and buyers are showing more confidence every week. Prices range anywhere from $20 to $200. A few drivers changed hands yesterday, but the bulk of the stock was draught and common stock.

Available Supply of Grain.

NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—Special cable and telegraphic communications received by Bradstreet's show the following changes in available supplies, as compared with last account: Wheat—United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, increase 2,458,000 bushels. Afloat for and in Europe, increase 960,000 bushels. Total supply, increase 3,068,000 bushels. Corn—United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, increase 844,000 bushels. Oats—United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, increase 2,653,000 bushels. Among the more important increases reported this week are the following: Five hundred and eighty-six thousand bushels in Manitoba; 500,000 bushels at the north-western lake ports; 423,000 bushels at the Chicago private elevators; 106,000 bushels at the Milwaukee private elevators, and 95,000 bushels at Syracuse. The leading decreases are: Ninety thousand bushels at St. Joseph, and 55,000 bushels at Louisville.

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—The market for coffee futures opened steady at unchanged prices to a decline of 5 points in response to lower European cables, but there was comparatively little pressure, and during the early session prices ruled steady. Later, however, large estimates for interior Santos' receipts weakened the market slightly, and it was finally steady unchanged to 5 points lower. Sales were reported of 41,750 bags, including September at 6.80c; October, 6.75c; December, 6.95c; March, 7.25c; May, 7.40@7.45c, and July at 7.60c. Spot Rio steady; No. 7 invoice, 8½c; mild steady; Cordova, 10@13c. Sugar, raw firm; fair refining, 3⅜c; centrifugal, 96 test, 4 5-16c; molasses sugar, 3⅛c. Refined firm.

The Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—Cotton futures closed steady at the decline; September, 10.40c; October, 10.37c; November, 10.39c; December, 10.44c; January, 10.48c; February, 10.49c; March, 10.53c; April, 10.54c; May, 10.56c. Spot closed quiet and 10 points decline; middling uplands, 10.90c; middling gulf, 11.15c; sales, 70 bales.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

PITTSBURGH UNION STOCK YARDS,

Tuesday, Sept. 27, 1904.

Cattle—Supply fair; market slow. Choice, 1,400 to 1,500 lbs $5 50@5 65; prime, 1,300 to 1,400 lbs., $5 20@5 40; good, 1,200 to 1,300 lbs., $4 80@5 10; tidy, 1,000 to 1,100 lbs., $4 50@4 75; fair, 900 to 1,100 lbs., $4 25@4 50; common, 700 to 900 lbs., $3 25@3 75; common to good fat cows, $1 50@3 50; common to good fat bulls, $2 00@3 50; good fresh cows and springers, $35 00@50 00; common to fair, $15 00@30 00.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts light; market steady. Prime wethers, $5 to 190 lbs., $4 25@4 40; good mixed, $5 to 90 lbs., $4 00@4 20; fair mixed, $3 to 80 lbs., $3 50@3 75; culls and common, $1 50@2 50; spring lambs, $3 50@6 00; veal calves, $7 00@7 50; heavy and thin, $3 50@4 50.

Hogs—Receipts, 8 double-decks and market steady. Prime heavy, $6 50@6 55; medium, $6 40@6 45; heavy yorkers, $6 40@6 45; light yorkers, $6 20@6 30; pigs, roughs, $4 50@6 00; stags, $3 50@4 50.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—Beeves—Receipts, 1,426 head. Dealing a trifle firm. Dressed beef more active and native sides selling at 7½@9¼c a pound; Texan beef at 5¼@6c. Cables quoted live cattle selling at 8¼@12c a pound; tops, 12¼c, dressed weight; sheep 10¼@11¼c, dressed weight; refrigerator beef at 9¾c a pound. Shipments today, 980 cattle, 1,075 sheep and 4,100 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 142 head. Good veals in demand and steady; other calves slow. Veals, $6 50@8 25; grassers, $2 50; mixed calves, $5. Dressed calves, steady to strong; city dressed veals, 7@12¼c a pound; country dressed, 9@11c; dressed grassers, 4@5c. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 2,770 head. Sheep steady; good lambs, firm; others steady. Common to good sheep, $3@4; fair to choice lambs, $5 75@6 90; no Canada lambs. Hogs—Receipts, 3,002 head. Nominally steady.

CHICAGO, Sept. 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 12,000 head, including 500 Texans and 7,000 westerns; market steady; good to prime steers, $5 50@6 50; poor to medium, $4 00@5 25; stockers and feeders, $2 25@4 00; poor to medium, $4 00@5 25; good to choice heifers, $2 25@4 75; canners, $1 50@2 25; bulls, $2 00@4 00; calves, $3 00@6 50; Texas-fed steers, $4 50@5 50; western steers, $3 00@4 50. Hogs—Receipts, 10,000 head; market steady to 5c lower; mixed and butchers, $5 70@6 37½; good to choice heavy, $5 85@6 30; rough heavy, $5 45@5 75; light, $5 65@6 25; bulk of sales, $5 90@6 10. Sheep—Receipts, 22,000 head; market steady; $4 10@5 25; western yearlings, $5 00@5 80; native mixed, $3 00@3 90; native lambs, $4 00@6 60; western sheep, $3 25@3 65; stockers and feeders, $2 50@4 00.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 27.—Hogs steady; butchers, $5 25; common, $3 75@5 50. Cattle firm; fair to good, shippers, $4 00@4 75; common, $2 00@2 40. Sheep steady; $1 00@3 50; lambs steady, $5 25@6 00.

The Bond Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—(Special.)—Government bonds closed with a further advance in bids of ⅛ for the 3s; the bid price for the 4s of 1925, however, were lowered ⅛. The aggressive strength in some quarters of the general bond market was offset in a limited degree by a reactionary tendency in others. The more important dealings were in Brooklyn Rapid Transit 4s, Burlington 4s, Rock Island collateral 4s, Consolidated Tobacco 4s, Distilling Corporation 5s, Oregon Short Line 4s, Union Pacific convertible 4s, U. S. Realty 5s, U. S. Steel sinking fund 5s and Wabash 5s. District of Columbia 3s, 65s, 118¾ bid; Philippine 4s, 110 bid. Price ranges were as follows:

	High.	Low.	Last Sale.
Japanese 6s	95	94½	94⅝
Cuban 5s	102½	102½	102½
Atchison gen. 4s	103⅝	103¼	103⅜
B. R. T. con. 4s	89½	89	89½
Central of Ga. con. 5s	112	111⅝	111⅞
Do. first inc.	88⅝	88	88⅜
Do. second inc.	54⅝	54	54⅜
C. B. & Q. 4s	97	96¾	96⅞
C. R. I. & P. con. 4s	76¼	76⅛	76⅛
Do. col. 5s	87⅜	87¼	87⅜
Con. Tob. 4s	73⅝	72⅞	73⅜
Distillers 5s	74½	75¼	73¼
Oregon Short Line col. 4s	90¾	90¾	90⅝
Union Pacific con. 4s	106⅝	106	106⅛
U. S. Realty 5s	88	88	87⅝
U. S. Steel S. F.	82⅝	82⅛	82⅜
Wabash deb. B's	65½	64⅝	65⅛
Western Maryland 4s	86⅝	86	86⅝
W. & L. E. con. 4s	90	89¾	90

BULL LEADER PUSHES WHEAT MARKET UP

Heavy Purchases of May Send That Option Up Cent and a Half.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Sept. 27.—Active support by a bull leader was perhaps the principal factor imparting strength to the wheat market today. At the close the December option was up 1⅝c. May was up 1½c. Corn shows a gain of ⅛c. Oats are off ¼c. Provisions are without decided change.

At the opening the wheat market showed signs of weakness, the December delivery being ⅛@⅜c higher at $1 10¾@1 10⅞. May was unchanged to ⅜c lower at $1 11⅝@1 11¾. The main factor affecting the situation at the start was a decline in foreign wheat markets. A number of traders who had sold short on the sharp decline of yesterday purchased freely early in the day. There was also considerable buying on predictions of wet weather in the northwest. However, the most noticeable feature of the trading, and the one that seemingly had the greatest influence in creating a strong undertone, was heavy purchases of May by a leader of the bull crowd. After December had sold at $1 10¾, prices gradually advanced. Slight recessions were made on profit-taking, but the general trend of values was toward a higher level. Sentiment during the latter part of the session was quite bullish. Primary receipts were much smaller than the corresponding day a year ago and a report was received from Minneapolis stating that country offerings there were decreasing. Advices from abroad prophecy a big reduction in wheat shipments from Australia and Argentina in the near future, the claim being made that the exportable surplus from these countries was practically exhausted. Higher prices for cash wheat in all markets of the United States was an important aid in buoying up speculative prices here. The high point on December was reached at $1 12¾. May sold up to $1 13⅝. Although all the advance was not maintained, the market closed strong, with December at $1 12. Final quotations on May were at $1 13¼.

Sentiment in the corn pit inclined to bearishness, but the strength of wheat prevented any decline. The weekly weather bureau report was bearish, denoting rapid progress being made in the gathering of the new crop. The yield of early harvesting also was within a narrow range. December opened ¼c lower to ⅛c higher at 50@50⅝c, sold up to 50¼c and closed at 50⅛c. Local receipts were 343 cars, with 36 of contract grade.

Announcement of a big increase in the world's visible supply caused an easier tone in oats. The volume of business was extremely light. December opened unchanged to ⅛c lower at 30⅝@30⅞c, sold between 30¼@30⅜c and 30⅛c, and closed at 30¼c. Local receipts were 174 cars.

Provisions were steady on a good demand from pit traders. Small receipts of hogs and firm prices at the yards were the supporting features. At the close January pork was off 5c at $13 30, lard was up 2½c at $7 47½, and ribs were unchanged at $6 92.

Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 167,250 bushels. Primary receipts were 1,254,900 bushels, compared with 1,704,700 bushels a year ago.

The world's visible supply, as shown by Bradstreets, increased 3,068,000 bushels. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 1,082 cars, against 813 cars last week and 1,235 cars a year ago.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 62 cars; corn, 185 cars; oats, 145 cars; hogs, 21,000 head.

The leading futures, reported by John D. Armstrong & Co., members of the Chicago board of trade, Farmers Bank building, are as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday's Close.
WHEAT.					
No. 2.					
Sept. o	1 12¼	1 13⅜	1 12¼	1 13¼	1 11⅞
Sept. n	1 08⅝	1 10⅜	1 08⅝	1 10⅜	1 09
Dec.	1 10⅜	1 12⅛	1 10¼	1 12	1 10⅝
May	1 11⅝	1 13⅝	1 11⅝	1 13¼	1 11⅝
CORN.					
No. 2.					
Sept.	52⅝	52⅞	52⅝	52⅝	52⅝
Dec.	50⅝	50½	50	50⅜	50⅞
May	48⅞	49	48½	48⅝	48⅝
OATS.					
No. 2.					
Sept.	29⅝	30	29¼	29⅝	29⅝
Dec.	30⅜	30⅞	30⅜	30½	30⅜
May	33⅛	33⅝	32⅝	32⅞	33
MESS PORK.					
Oct.	11 62½	11 65	11 57½	11 62½	11

WANT OHIO LOCAL OPTION LAW HERE

Anti-Saloon League Working for the Beal Act In the Next Legislature.

KNOX MAY SPEAK TWICE

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Press Building,
PHILADELPHIA, PA., Sept. 27.

The first official step taken by the National Anti-Saloon league to have the Ohio local option law enacted in Pennsylvania, was taken today. The Rev. S. E. Nicholson, Pennsylvania superintendent of the league, called upon Chairman Penrose, with whom he had a lengthy conference. Owing to the pressure upon his time, due to the campaign, Chairman Penrose was obliged to ask Mr. Nicholson to allow the matter to go over until after election.

The bill which the Anti-Saloon league will introduce next January in the Pennsylvania legislature provides that whenever a majority of the voters request a vote on local option it shall be taken in cities, boroughs and townships. The bill provides that such special elections may take place every two years.

Among the other callers at headquarters today were Francis J. Torrance and W. H. H. Wasson of Pittsburgh, C. B. Witmer of Sunbury, Senator J. C. Stineman of Cambria, Horace Culbertson of Mifflin, Senator Heidelbaugh of Lancaster and William L. Hicks, district attorney of Blair.

Mr. Wasson took up with Chairman Penrose the proposition to hold a national convention of the Grand Army of the Republic in the interest of President Roosevelt. It is proposed to hold the convention in Pittsburgh. Chairman Penrose said the national committee was considering the matter and that he, himself, was doing what he could to aid Mr. Wasson in furthering the plan.

The committee of the Manufacturers' club, in charge of the big gathering at the Academy of Music on Saturday evening, has been swamped with requests for tickets of admittance from people who are anxious to hear Senator Philander C. Knox speak. Already the requests number more than 6,000. The capacity of the Academy is 3,500 and the committee finds itself in a dilemma.

The committee is desirous of having Senator Knox make two addresses—one in the Academy and another in Horticultural hall. George H. Long, the senator's private secretary, held a conference with W. S. P. Shields today relative to a second meeting. He was unable to pledge himself that Mr. Knox would agree to make two speeches. Senator Penrose has been asked to call upon his fellow member to get him to speak in Horticultural hall.

Previous to the meeting Senator Knox will be tendered a dinner at the Manufacturers' club by President Plumb. Twenty-two covers will be laid. Invitations to the number of 1,000 have been issued to the reception at the club after the meeting, when an elaborate luncheon will be served.

CHESTER D. POTTER.

FIVE TICKETS IN FIELD.

Political Parties Are Unusually Active and Leave Few Vacancies for State Offices.

HARRISBURG, PA., Sept. 27.—(Special.)—The time limit for filing in the state department certificates of nomination of candidates to be voted for in November, expired today and the books show that there are few vacancies in the nominations made by the various parties for state offices.

There will be five state tickets: Republican, Democratic, Prohibition, Socialist, and Citizens, bearing the names of electors and supreme court judges. The time limit for filing nomination papers expires next Tuesday. All the Republican certificates have been filed and the only districts from which the Democrats have not filed papers are the Armstrong-Butler senatorial district and the Union county legislative district in which they have made no nominations. The Prohibition and Socialist parties have been unusually active this year and have placed tickets in the field in many of the congressional, senatorial, legislative and judicial districts.

The Dauphin county Democracy completed its ticket this evening by the nomination of George T. Leebrick of Halifax for senator and T. Jefferson Scheffer of Harrisburg for representative, from the First district.

Soda Fountain Repairer Held.

August Dersler of Murtland avenue, East End, who was arrested some time ago for representing himself as an employe of a carbonic acid manufacturing company among East End drug stores for the purpose of getting away with property near the soda fountains, was held for court in $500 bail on a charge of larceny by Magistrate Negley yesterday morning. The information was made by William Jones, a Fifth avenue druggist.

A World's Fair Souvenir of Quality Superfine.

The Anheuser-Busch Brewing Association of St. Louis is now making an excellent souvenir booklet of the German Tyrolean Alps. The booklet contains many handsome illustrations, together with a very graphic description of Tyrol, the wonder spot of the German empire. The reproduction of the Tyrolean Alps at the World's Fair is one of the foremost masterpieces of the present era. To look at them one conceives the impression that this historic spot of the fatherland had been virtually transplanted. Every detail—from the majestic Alps to the grotto, the Swiss village houses and the birthplace of Mozart—is set forth with realistic grandeur.

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CITY OF PITTSBURGH DELINQUENT TAX LIENS

Pursuant to an act of general assembly of the state of Pennsylvania, providing when, how, upon what property, and to what extent liens shall be allowed for taxes and for municipal improvements, etc., approved June 4, 1901, writs of scire facias having been issued out of the Court of Common Pleas No. 1 of Allegheny county, at the instance of the City of Pittsburgh, in the following cases of delinquent taxes, requiring the defendants named therein to file affidavits of defense, or, in default, judgment to be entered. Now, notice is hereby given to the defendants hereinafter named, that unless affidavits of defense be filed to the said claims in the prothonotary's office of Allegheny county within fifteen (15) days after October 19th, 1904, judgments may be entered and the property described in the liens sold to recover the amount of the said claim.

Sarah M. Thompson.
D. T. L. 851, March, 1904. $81.00
Lot 48 by 181 feet, Summerlea street, rear of Ellwood avenue, Twentieth ward, Pittsburgh; and having thereon a 2-story frame dwelling, being No. 715.

Charles L. Atwood.
D. T. L. 853, March, 1904. $14.52
3 lots, 23 by 100 feet each, Willock street, between McFerron street and B. & O. Railroad, Twenty-second ward, Pittsburgh.

Charlotte A. Sparks, with notice to T. E. McGillick.
D. T. L. 850, March, 1904. $43.26
Lot 74 27-100 by average depth 67 feet; fronting on a 40-foot street, at corner of a 25-foot street; being Lot No. 29 in William Logan's Plan, Plan Book Vol. 16, Page 81, Twenty-second ward, Pittsburgh. Also four lots, 25 by 108 feet each, on a 40-foot street, off Dallas avenue, being lots Nos. 22, 23, 24 and 25, in said plan, said ward.

Lizzie Allen.
D. T. L. 854, March, 1904. $8.32
Lot 20 by 100 feet, Frank street, between Norfolk and Melbourne streets, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

A. Jane Brown.
D. T. L. 856, March, 1904. $4.06
Lot 10 by 110 feet, Gerard street, between Gladstone and End streets, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

Nancy H. I. Stewart.
D. T. L. 857, March, 1904. $96.36
Piece of land in Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh, bounded by Old Squirrel Hill road, middle of a street, Land of William McClure, George K. Flowere and Winter's heirs, containing 6 812-1000 of an acre, and having thereon a 2-story frame dwelling and stable.

Frank Butterfield, with notice to Benjamin F. Sharp.
D. T. L. 858, March, 1904. $20.26
Four lots, 30 by 145 feet each, Gladstone street, between Hilltop and property of Johnston, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

Marks Boodner.
D. T. L. 859, March, 1904. $8.26
Lot 102 by average depth 40 feet to a point, Forward avenue and Four Mile Run, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

Samuel E. Brenner.
D. T. L. 861, March, 1904. $14.92
Two lots 25 by average depth 146 feet each, Gladstone street, between Elma and Rundell streets, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

Anna M. Bennet, with notice to Robert S. Anderson and Achsah Nicholls.
D. T. L. 862, March, 1904. $16.68
Two lots, 20 by average depth 126 feet each, Edington street, between a 10-foot alley and End street, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.
Also lot 20 by average depth 89 feet, Edington street, between a 10-foot alley and End street, said ward.
Also lot 20 by average depth 25 feet, Flowers avenue, between Edington and Graphic streets, said ward.

Robert H. Bellman, with notice to Charles P. Hill.
D. T. L. 863, March, 1904. $18.09
Four lots, 20 by average depth 85 feet each, Flowers avenue, between Folsom and Graphic streets, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

George McClean Brown.
D. T. L. 864, March, 1904. $14.34
Lot 148x92 feet, 20-foot alley, rear of Greenfield avenue, corner of Haworth street, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

Margaret Chelsey.
D. T. L. 866, March, 1904. $2.44
Lot 22x120 feet on a 40-foot street, corner of Frank street, being lot No. 80 in R. McCrickert et al.'s plan, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh, Plan Book Vol. 7, page 35.

P. B. Craven.
D. T. L. 869, March, 1904. $18.86
Two lots 67 76-100x185 feet, Spear street, corner of Home Rule street, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

Alexander Campbell.
D. T. L. 870, March, 1904. $14.24
Lot 83 25-100x94 66-100 feet, Alger street, corner of Winterburn avenue, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

Sonora M. Connolly.
D. T. L. 871, March, 1904. $4.16
Lot 30x90 feet, Norfolk street, between Frank street and Melbourne street, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

Duquesne Land Company, operative association.
D. T. L. 874, March, 1904. $49.48
Two lots 20x122 feet each, Lytle street, between Rutherglen and Laughlin streets, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

James C. Dick.
D. T. L. 876, March, 1904. $8.92
Two lots, 20 by average depth 74 feet each, Concord street, between Graphic and Edington streets, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

John Duhig.
D. T. L. 877, March, 1904. $42.56
Lot 23 by average depth 127 feet, Irvine street, opposite Duke street, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

George Drotos.
D. T. L. 879, March, 1904. $2.94
Lot 20x90 feet, Melbourne street, between Frank street and Greenfield avenue, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

Alphonsa W. Dodson.
D. T. L. 881, March, 1904. $5.54
Lot 20x125 feet, Sylvan avenue, rear of Mobile street, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

James Donnelly.
D. T. L. 882, March, 1904. $3.48
Lot 24x90 feet, Loretto street, between Frank street and Greenfield avenue, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

Mary Davies.
D. T. L. 883 March, 1904. $4.92
Two lots 24 by 90 feet each, Montclair street, between Frank street and Greenfield avenue, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

George A. Ecker.
D. T. L. 885 March, 1904. $87.69
Lots Nos. 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16, in Marion plan, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh, plan book vol. 10, page 175; fronting 166 64-100 feet by 161 65-100 feet on Mobile street, and having thereon a two-story frame dwelling.

John W. Erby.
D. T. L. 886 March, 1904. $11.76
Two lots, 25 by 100 feet each, Stanley street, between Alma and Kearcher streets, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

K. F. Friend, with notice to William R. Stewart.
D. T. L. 890 March, 1904. $41.30
Lot 26 by 100 feet, 40-foot street, between Bigelow and Bristol streets, in John E. William's plan, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh, plan book vol. 8, page 209.
Also lot 25 by average depth 108½ feet, between Kearcher and Bigelow streets, said ward, being lot No. 151 in said plan.
Also lot 25 by average depth 68 feet, Bristol street, between Bigelow and Kearcher streets, being lot No. 152 in said plan, said ward.
Also lot 117 5-10 by 89 feet to a point, Bristol street, between Kearcher and Bigelow street, being lot No. 153 in said plan, said ward.
Also two lots 25 by 100 feet each, Bigelow street, between Sylvan and Kearcher streets, being lots Nos. 19 and 20 in said plan, said ward.

J. M. Griffith.
D. T. L. 898, March, 1904. $7.02
Lot 25x160 feet, Haldane street, between Alma and Certrude streets, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

Martin Grogan and R. W. Edmundson.
D. T. L. 895, March, 1904. $5.60
Lot 25x90 feet, Montclair street, between Frank and Graphic streets Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

Joseph H. Hamilton and Joseph H. Hunter.
D. T. L. 898, March, 1904. $6.40
Two lots, 20 by average depth 118 feet each, Concord street, between Graphic and Edington streets, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

Anthony Hirsch, and Mary M. Hirsch.
D. T. L. 900, March, 1904. $4.06
Lot 24x87 feet, Dupont street, between Boundary and Anthony streets, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

Kate Hanley.
D. T. L. 903, March, 1904. $7.92
Lot 28x82 feet, on private way, between Smith and Monongahela streets, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

Salona B. Jenkins.
D. T. L. 908, March, 1904. $5.76
Lot 25x130 feet, Spear street, between Hazelwood avenue and Home Rule street, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

Minnie A. Johnston.
D. T. L. 909, March, 1904. $2.08
Lot 41x120 feet, Geddings street, corner of Folsom street, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

David H. James.
D. T. L. 910, March, 1904. $7.56
Lot 98x58 15-100 feet to a point, Ando street, corner of Boundary street, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh; and having thereon a 1-story frame dwelling.

Elizabeth Kenworthy.
D. T. L. 911, March, 1904. $2.94
Lot 24 by average depth 93 feet, Hazelwood avenue, near intersection of Squirrel Hill road, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

Catherine J. Kent.
D. T. L. 912, March, 1904. $5.16
Lot 61 51-100x100 feet, Gladstone street, between Gerard and Bingler streets, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

Rose Kalzbauer.
D. T. L. 914, March, 1904. $4.96
Lot 97 34-100 by 64 20-100 feet to a point, Ando street, between Alger and Boundary streets, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

Annie Lavelle.
D. T. L. 915, March, 1904. $7.96
Lot 25 by 165 feet, Sylvan avenue, near Home Rule street, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

John Loeffert.
D. T. L. 917, March, 1904. $264.00
Two lots, 40 by 215 39-100 feet each, Second avenue, between Mobile and Tellynet streets, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh, and having thereon four 2-story frame dwellings.

William Metcalf.
D. T. L. 918, March, 1904. $10.22
One-half acre of land, Hazelwood avenue, between Amelia and Frank streets, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

John Martin No. 2.
D. T. L. 919, March, 1904. $20.14
Four lots, 27 by 165 feet each, Sylvan avenue, between Hazelwood avenue and Home Rule street, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

Bridget Mink, with notice to John Haglin.
D. T. L. 921, March, 1904. $4.35
Lot 25 by 145 feet, Gladstone street, between Home Rule and Hilltop streets, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

James Mulvehill.
D. T. L. 922, March, 1904. $15.50
Lot 24 77-100 by 100 feet, Lydia street, corner of Gertrude street, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.
Also lot 25 by 100 feet, Lydia street, between Gertrude and Alma streets, said ward.

Thomas Murphy.
D. T. L. 923, March, 1904. $30.26
Lot 25 by 100 feet, Greenfield avenue, between Sylvan and Second avenue, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh, and having thereon two 2-story frame dwellings.

Mary Marron.
D. T. L. 924, March, 1904. $3.69.
Lot 25 by 90 feet, Exeter street, between Frank street and Greenfield avenue, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

William McClure, with notice to Sarah McClure.
D. T. L. 926, March, 1904. $35.30.
Two and one-half acres of land, Hazelwood avenue, near Evaline street, Twenty-second ward, Pittsburgh, and having thereon a 2-story frame dwelling.

John McIntosh.
D. T. L. 927, March, 1904. $4.96.
Lot 24 15-100 by average depth 80 feet, Dupont street, between Boundary and Anthony streets, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

Elisha J. McClennan.
D. T. L. 929, March, 1904. $11.84.
Two lots 20 by 90 feet each, Kilbuck street, between Edington and Graphic streets, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.
Also two lots 20 by 120 feet each, Longview avenue, between a 10-foot alley and Kilbuck street, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

Mary Neal.
D. T. L. 930, March, 1904. $7.92.
Lot 24 by 120 feet, Kearcher street, between Yoder street and a 10-foot alley, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

John D. O'Donnell.
D. T. L. 931, March, 1904. $5.16.
Lot 25 by 141 feet, McCaslin street, between Loretta and South Bigelow streets, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

Annie Opperman.
D. T. L. 932, March, 1904. $34.94.
Lot 26 by average depth 87 feet, Hazelwood avenue, between Bigelow and Amelia streets, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh; and having thereon a 2-story frame dwelling.

Francis O'Brien.
D. T. L. 933, March, 1904. $2.38.
Lot 25 by average depth 69 feet, Monitor street, between Graphic street and End street, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

John G. Pritchard.
D. T. L. 934, March, 1904. $11.82.
Lot 50 by 166 feet, Sylvan avenue, corner of Graphic street, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

Eva Pearsall.
D. T. L. 935, March, 1904. $2.94.
Lot 20 by 100 feet, Melbourne street, between Frank and Norfolk streets, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

Matilda Pearsall.
D. T. L. 935, March, 1904. $3.48.
Lot 25 by 90 feet, Loretta street, between Frank street and Greenfield avenue, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

David Park.
D. T. L. 937, March, 1904. $5.16.
Lot 25 by 100 feet, Bigelow street, between a 40-foot street and Bristol street, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

Annie Ryan.
D. T. L. 939, March, 1904. $4.42.
Lot 25 by 164 feet, Home Rule street, between Parnell and Parde streets, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

John M. Reeves, with notice to Laura J. Stitt and Thomas Alexander.
D. T. L. 941, March, 1904. $5.76.
Lot 30 by 90 feet, Gladstone street, near Bingler, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

J. D. Scully.
D. T. L. 944, March, 1904. $13.10.
Lot 20 by 105 feet, Kansas street, between Laughlin and Ruthergien streets, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

Labadera Salvatore.
D. T. L. 945, March, 1904. $4.42.
Lot 24 34-100 by 70 feet, Alger street, between Ando and Anthony streets, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

Dietrich F. Schuette.
D. T. L. 946, March, 1904. $10.16.
Lot 20 by 100 feet, Gerard street, between Gladstone and End streets, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.
Also lot 45 23-100 by 92 50-100 feet, Gerard avenue, corner of a 20-foot alley, said ward.

Barbara Schwartz.
D. T. L. 947, March, 1904. $4.06.
Lot 20 by 91 feet, Concord street, between Graphic street and Edington avenue, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

R. W. Sponsler.
D. T. L. 948, March, 1904. $138.06.
Two lots 24 by 100 feet each, Hazelwood avenue, between Chatsworth and Monongahela streets, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.
Also lot 112 72-100 by 112 feet, Chatsworth street, between Hazelwood avenue and Adams street, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh; and having thereon two 2-story frame dwellings.

William Saul.
D. T. L. 949, March, 1904. $5.16.
Two lots 25 by 90 feet each, Loretta street, between Frank street and Greenfield avenue, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

Mary H. Shaffer.
D. T. L. 950, March, 1904. $16.46.
Lot 28 52-100 by 118 feet, Alexis street, opposite Acorn street, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh; and having thereon a 2-story frame dwelling.

Mary H. Susman.
D. T. L. 952, March, 1904. $7.62.
Lott 25 by 77 feet, Monongahela street, near Mobile street, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

Henry Allen Smith.
D. T. L. 953, March, 1904. $19.48.
Lot 20 by 100 feet, Gladstone street, near Gerard street, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.
Also lot 20 by 100 feet, Gladstone street, corner of Gerard street, said ward.

Samuel J. Saxton and Laura J. Stitt.
D. T. L. 955, March, 1904. $10.98.
Lot 25 by 111 69-100 feet, southerly side of Bingler street, being lot No. 35 in Joseph Winter's plan, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh, Plan Book Vol. 8, page 209.
Also lot 50 71-100 by 111 69-100 feet, southerly side of Bingler street, being lot No. 39 in said plan, said ward.

Charles H. Sample.
D. T. L. 956, March, 1904. $5.16.
Two lots, 25 by 97 feet each, Deely street, between Frank and Delevan streets, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

Emily McC. Thomas.
D. T. L. 959, March, 1904. $5.54.
Lot 20 by 125 feet, Sylvan avenue, near Tellymet street, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

Thomas F. Thompson, with notice to Richard J. Thompson.
D. T. L. 962, March, 1904. $3.52.
Lot 20 20-100 by 100 feet, Frank street, between Melbourne and Norfolk streets, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

Richard Thompson.
D. T. L. 963, March, 1904. $3.68.
Lot 35 by 100 feet, Frank street, corner of Norfolk street, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

Miere Viess, with notice to Morris and Myer Grinberg.
D. T. L. 965, March, 1904. $4.34.
Lot 29 by 90 feet, Montclair street, between Frank street and Greenfield avenue, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

Thomas Whittaker, with notice to John Whittaker, Thomas Whittaker, Jr., and George Whittaker.
D. T. L. 966, March, 1904. $133.46.
Two acres and 13 perches of land on Frank street, being purpart No. 3 in a plan of lots made by heirs of Thomas Whittaker, deceased, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.
Also lot 32 by average depth 150 feet, Frank street, being lot No. 4 in plan of Anthony Whittaker, said ward.
Also three-fifths of an acre of land in Frank street, said ward, and having thereon a frame dwelling and stable.
Also 2 acres and 13½ perches of land, Frank street, said ward, being lot No. 4 in the amicable partition of a part of the estate of Anthony Whittaker, deceased. Plan Book Vol. 6, page 12.
Also lot 32 by 160 feet, Hazelwood avenue, said ward, being lot No. 3 in Whittaker's plan, Plan Book Vol. 4, page 61.
Also lots Nos. 2 and 3, in plan of heirs of Anthony Whittaker, said ward, Plan Book Vol. 6, page 121, containing respectively 2 acres and 138 46-100 perches.
Also lot 33 by 160 feet, Frank street, said ward, and having thereon ½ of a 2-story frame dwelling.

Margaret V. Williams.
D. T. L. 967, March, 1904. $601.20.
Lot 55 by 125 feet, Sylvan avenue, between Adams street and Hazelwood avenue, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh, and having thereon a 2-story frame dwelling.

Griffith V. Watt.
D. T. L. 969, March, 1904. $8.12
Lot 25x100 feet, Monongahela street, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

William H. Warner.
D. T. L. 971, March, 1904. $8.12
Lot 25x100 feet, Monongahela street, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh, being No. 74 in Scully & Spear's plan, Plan Book Vol. 9, pages 36 and 37.

F. A. Wochel.
D. T. L. 795, March, 1904. $4.78
Lot 25x135 feet, Gladstone street, between Randell and Bigelow streets, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

John E. Williams' heirs, with notice to Harry J. Williams, Sarah E. Williams, William Williams, John E. Williams, Jr., Harriet Williams, Gladys Williams and Edna Williams, heirs of John E. Williams, deceased.
D. T. L. 974, March, 1904. $126.80
Lots Nos. 163, 164, 165, 166, 196, 195, 16, 87, 88, 89, 90, 117 and 112, in John E. Williams' plan, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh, Plan Book Vol. 8, pages 308 and 309.
Also lots Nos. 7, 8, 69, 70, 73, 74, 2, 5, 6, 11, 12, 17 and 18, in Harvey's Place plan, said ward, Plan Book Vol. —, page 91.

Christian R. Wanner, with notice to Apollo Trust Company.
D. T. L. 975, March, 1904. $117.70
Lot 30x90 feet, Coleman street, between Greenfield avenue and Ruple street, Twenty-third ward, and having thereon a 2-story frame dwelling.
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P. B. Caven.
D. T. L. 981, March, 1904. $16.87
Lot 20x109 feet, Mary street, between South Twenty-eighth and South Thirtieth streets, Twenty-fourth ward, Pittsburgh, and having thereon a 2-story frame dwelling.

J. F. Donnelly, with notice to Frank Donnelly.
D. T. L. 982, March, 1904. $13.99
Lot 24x109 feet, Jane street, between South Thirty-second and South Thirty-third streets, Twenty-fourth ward, Pittsburgh, and having thereon a 2-story frame dwelling.

Christine Ihmsen, Jr., trustee, with notice to B. Swearingen, Eleanor I. Swearingen, Mary Christy, Bert Van S. Amelia, Christian J., and Clara R. Swearingen, minor children of Eleanor I. Swearingen.
D. T. L. 984, March, 1904. $546.50
Seven lots, 24x100 feet each, Jane street, between South Twenty-eighth and South Twenty-ninth streets, Twenty-fourth ward, Pittsburgh, and having thereon 10 2-story brick mansard dwellings and 10 2-story brick dwellings on Larkins alley.

Margaret J. Reynolds.
D. T. L. 986, March, 1904. $11.93.
Lot 17 63-100 by 50 feet, Carey alley, between South Twenty-eighth and South Twenty-ninth streets, Twenty-fourth ward, Pittsburgh; and having thereon a 2-story brick dwelling.

Henry B. Tuthill.
D. T. L. 993, March, 1904. $72.72.
Lot 24 by 70 feet, Sarah street, between Twenty-second and Twenty-third streets, Twenty-fifth ward, Pittsburgh; and having thereon a 3-story brick dwelling.

St. Mark's Episcopal Church.
D. T. L. 995, March, 1904. $93.70.
Lot 25 by 80 feet, Sidney street, between South Eighteenth and South Nineteenth streets, Twenty-sixth ward, Pittsburgh; and having thereon a 2-story brick dwelling.

Christian Ihmsen, Jr., Trustee.
D. T. L. 996, March, 1904. $118.42.
Lot 48 by 120 feet, Sidney street, between South Seventeenth and South Eighteenth streets, Twenty-sixth ward, Pittsburgh; and having thereon a 1-story shop and sheds and a 2-story brick building.

Charles W. and Watson E. Provost, with Notice to Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston R. R. Co.
D. T. L. 998, March, 1904. $63.80.
Lot 45 33-100 by 120 feet, Josephine street, between South Nineteenth and South Twentieth streets, Twenty-sixth ward, Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Hannah Robson, with notice to Laura V. Reinhart and M. L. Robson, Administrator.
D. T. L. 999, March, 1904. $354.30.
Lot 48 by 120 feet, Wharton street, corner of South Nineteenth street, Twenty-sixth ward, Pittsburgh; and having thereon eight 2-story brick dwellings.

Leisetta C. Brasser (or Leisetta P. Brasser).
D. T. L. 1002, March, 1904. $24.86.
Two lots 25 by average depth 93 6-10 feet, Welsh way, between Manor and Birmingham streets, Twenty-seventh ward, Pittsburgh; and having thereon two 2-story frame dwellings.

Josephine Y. Breese.
D. T. L. 1004, March, 1904. $10.80.
Lot 20 by 96 feet, Gregory street, between Yards line and a 10-foot alley, Twenty-seventh ward, Pittsburgh.

R. Cunningham.
D. T. L. 1005, March, 1904. $6.40.
Lot 20 by 120 feet, Berg street, between Cologne street and property of C. Rupp, Twenty-seventh ward, Pittsburgh.

George H. Colwas.
D. T. L. 1006, March, 1904. $5.14.
Three lots 25 by average depth 45 feet each, Welsh way, between Manor and Birmingham streets, Twenty-seventh ward, Pittsburgh.

Ferdinand Diel.
D. T. L. 1010, March, 1904. $15.94.
Lot 22 by 50 feet, Michael street, between Birmingham street and Orphan asylum, Twenty-seventh ward, Pittsburgh; and having thereon a 2-story frame dwelling.

William Esker.
D. T. L. 1011, March, 1904. $6.40.
Lot 20 by 100 feet, Hackstown street, between Birmingham and St. Thomas streets, Twenty-seventh ward, Pittsburgh.

George W. Fritz.
D. T. L. 1012, March, 1904. $8.46.
Lot 25 by average depth 69 feet, Fort Hill street, between Fernleaf and Sterling streets, Twenty-seventh ward, Pittsburgh.

Margaret Grant.
D. T. L. 1014, March, 1904. $13.72.
Lot 20 80-100 by 120 feet, Arlington avenue, corner of Clover street, Twenty-seventh ward, Pittsburgh.

W. J. Howard.
D. T. L. 1017, March, 1904. $8.10.
Twelve acres of land, Arlington avenue, at intersection of city line, Twenty-seventh ward, Pittsburgh.

J. W. Jenkins, with notice to George Rodenbaugh.
D. T. L. 1018, March, 1904. $9.78.
Lot 20 by 90 feet, Wade street, between Ward line and Lancer alley, Twenty-seventh ward, Pittsburgh, and having thereon a 2-story frame dwelling.

J. N. Jarrett.
D. T. L. 1019, March, 1904. $6.20.
Lot 20 by 100 feet, Barry street, corner of Hamilton street, Twenty-seventh ward, Pittsburgh.

William Lewis.
D. T. L. 1022, March, 1904. $18.58.
Lot 24 by 110 feet, Quincy street, between North View and Vine streets, Twenty-seventh ward, Pittsburgh, and having thereon a 2-story frame dwelling.

Jacob P. Luffy.
D. T. L. 1023, March, 1904. $31.40.
Two lots, 40 by 120 feet, Cobden street, between Clover and Cologne streets, Twenty-seventh ward, Pittsburgh, and having thereon a 2-story frame dwelling.

Jacob Metz.
D. T. L. 1024, March, 1904. $7.96.
Lot 20 by 100 feet, Monastery avenue, between Brownsville road and incline, Twenty-seventh ward, Pittsburgh.

Yetta R. Mathies.
D. T. L. 1025, March, 1904. $7.58.
Lot 48 3-10 by average depth 42 6-10 feet, Quarry street, between South Twenty-first and Morgan streets, Twenty-seventh ward, Pittsburgh.

E. W. McClure.
D. T. L. 1026, March, 1904. $25.54.
Lot 25 by 126 9-10 feet, Sterling street, between Grant and Schiller streets, Twenty-seventh ward, Pittsburgh.
Also lot 30 by 126 9-10 feet, Sterling street, opposite Schiller street, said ward.

Also two lots, 25 by 126 9-10 feet each, Sterling street, between Caesar alley and Sierra street, said ward.

St. Clair Ormsby, with notice to Andrew C. Jarrett.
D. T. L. 1027, March, 1904. $14.82
Lots Nos. 28 and 29 in A. C. Jarrett's plan, Twenty-seventh ward, Pittsburgh, Plan Book Vol. 7, page 111, fronting 19 feet on Holt street.

Thomas Stocker.
D. T. L. 1030, March, 1904. $7.34
Lot 167 by 30 feet to a point, Hartford street, corner of Brownsville avenue, Twenty-seventh ward, Pittsburgh, and having thereon a small frame dwelling.

W. Lloyd Scott.
D. T. L. 1032, March, 1904. $1.08
30 perches of land on Brownsville road, corner of Quarry street, Twenty-seventh ward, Pittsburgh.

Unknown Owner No. 2.
D. T. L. 1036, March, 1904. $9.28
Lot 107 by average depth 100 feet, South Eighteenth street extension, head of Monastery street, Twenty-seventh ward, Pittsburgh.

Edward H. Woods.
D. T. L. 1039, March, 1904. $5.58
Lot No. 157, and half of lot No. 158, in John Brown's plan, Twenty-seventh ward, Pittsburgh, Plan Book Vol. 4, page 273, fronting 30 feet on Hamilton street.

Robert C. Duncan.
D. T. L. 1040, March, 1904. $77.26
Lot 69 by 95 feet, Muriel street, between South Twelfth and South Thirteenth streets, Twenty-eighth ward, Pittsburgh, and having thereon three 2-story frame dwellings.

Christian Ihmsen, Jr., Trustee.
D. T. L. 1041, March, 1904. $110.60
Lot 68 31-100 by average depth 76 6-10 feet, South Fifteenth street, between Carson and Sarah streets, Twenty-eighth ward, Pittsburgh, and having thereon a frame stable.
Also lot 33 27-100 by 95 feet, German alley, between South Thirteenth street and glass house, said ward, and having thereon two 2-story frame dwellings.

Thomas D. Nuttall, with notice to William Smith et al.
D. T. L. 1044, March, 1904. $26.60
Lot 40 by 51 58-100 feet, South Sixteenth street, between Sarah and Manor streets, Twenty-eighth ward, Pittsburgh, and having thereon a 2-story brick dwelling.

Sophia Olnhausen.
D. T. L. 1045, March, 1904. $170.66
Lot 20 by 122 feet, South Thirteenth street, between Carson and Sarah streets, Twenty-eighth ward, Pittsburgh, and having thereon a 2-story brick dwelling.
Also lot 20 by 122 feet, South Thirteenth street, between Carson and Saran street, said ward, and having thereon a 2-story brick and frame dwelling.

Isabella Miller.
D. T. L. 1051, March, 1904. $33.78
Lot 18 7-10x95 feet, Muriel street, between South Eleventh and South Twelfth streets, Twenty-ninth ward, Pittsburgh; and having thereon a 3-story brick dwelling.

H. R. Miller, with notice to Isabella Miller.
D. T. L. 1052, March, 1904. $91.60
Lot 24x120 feet, South Twelfth street, between Sarah and Carson streets, Twenty-ninth ward, Pittsburgh, and having thereon a 2-story brick dwelling.

Annabelle Nantker, with notice to W. H. Nantker.
D. T. L. 1059, March, 1904. $67.24
4 78-100 acres of land, Bailey avenue, corner of Seller's lot, Thirtieth ward, Pittsburgh.
Also, lot 50x125 feet, Bailey avenue, between Thursby property and Beltzhoover tween Thursby property and Beltzhoover

Sarah J and Sarah A. Thursby.
D. T. L. 1060, March, 1904. $31.24
1 50-100 acres of land, Williams street, Thirtieth ward, Pittsburgh.

John Brown.
D. T. L. 1061, March, 1904. $6.32
Lot 22 48-100 by average depth 26 feet, Hanover street, between Brahe street and Brownsville avenue, Thirty-first ward, Pittsburgh.

Frank P. Blackmore.
D. T. L. 1062, March, 1904. $7.80
Lot 46x65 feet, Hecla alley, corner of Melrose way, Thirty-first ward, Pittsburgh.

Robert A. Carter and Robert G. McKibbon.
D. T. L. 1063, March, 1904. $114.40
Lot 63 41-100 by average depth 86 95-100 feet, to a point, Beltzhoover avenue, corner of ward line, Thirty-first ward, Pittsburgh.
Also, two lots 26x100 feet each, Beltzhoover avenue, near a 40-foot street, said ward.
Also, lot 19 88-100x100 feet, on a 40-foot street, corner of a 20-foot alley, said ward.
Also, lot 23 37-100 by average depth 9[illegible] feet, on a 40-foot street, corner of a 20-foot alley, said ward.
Also, three lots, 24 by average depth 120 feet, on a 40-foot street, between Beltzhoover avenue and a 20-foot alley, said ward.
Also, four lots 24 by average depth 9[illegible] feet each, on a 40-foot street, between Beltzhoover avenue and a 20-foot alley, said ward.
Also, four lots 29 69-100 by average depth 90 feet each